

President's Talk to Nation Tuesday Vitaly Important

Germany's Warning to United States May Be Theme of Talk

Chicago, May 26—(AP)—President Roosevelt will speak to the nation from 8:30 to 9:00 p. m., Central Standard time, tomorrow, with hundreds of radio stations broadcasting his words.

Columbia, Mutual and both networks of the National Broadcasting System will carry the speech, which may be heard, among others, from stations WBBM, WGN, WMAQ, WCFL and WENR in Chicago.

Washington, May 26—(AP)—Secretary of State Hull accused Germany today of seeking by threats to induce the United States to refrain from any real efforts at self defense.

Hull made this comment on the statement yesterday of Grand Admiral Erich Raeder, commander of the German navy, that the American patrol system was "aggressive" and that American naval convoys for British ships would "mean shooting".

Stephen Early, presidential secretary, earlier had commented to reporters that he had an idea that Berlin "is trying to do anything it can to beloud" President Roosevelt's fireside chat tomorrow night. Early too was commenting on Raeder's statement.

Favorite System

Hull told his press conference that Raeder's statement appeared to be some sort of threat to induce this country and probably other American nations to refrain from real efforts at self defense until Adolf Hitler gets control of the high seas of the world and other continents.

It is a favorite system which Hitler has used in the case of many countries in Europe, Hull said, either by threats or persuasion to induce other countries to refrain from any real defense until Hitler was ready to seize them.

The secretary said Raeder's statement seemed to be an integral part of a program of world conquest by force.

Early told reporters: "I've got an idea Berlin today is trying to do anything it can to beloud the president's speech and precipitate something for you gentlemen between now and Tuesday night."

He added that he would not be surprised if reporters were querying about other dispatches from Berlin before the presidential address.

The speech had begun to take on new significance from world developments, such as the Raeder declaration and Japan's seizure in French Indo-China of \$10,000,000 worth of American products belonging to American firms.

Details Unrevealed

The address replaces one Roosevelt was to have made two weeks ago and Early had told reporters not to build it up as of extreme importance.

But when asked today whether he thought a similar warning was warranted, he said:

"Up to yesterday I would have repeated the warning. Today I can tell you the president will be engaged through the day, into the night and most of tomorrow in revising his speech in the light of rapidly changing conditions abroad.

"Don't ask me to go into details because I can't. You'll get them when you get the speech."

Careful Preparation

Early said the chief executive was devoting more time to preparation of the address, which will be broadcast internationally, than to any speech he could recall.

Consulting with him were

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Uniontown, Pa., May 26—(AP)—Roy Hostetter, 46-year-old miner, and his wife, 42, today announced birth of their 22nd child, Dolores Marlene, Friday night.

Hostetter said their children were so numerous that his wife in making a list of them at the hospital, "got some wrong."

At his request, the physician who delivered their first child nearly 25 years ago, also delivered "the last", Dolores.

Sixteen of their children are living. In addition, the Hostetters are grandparents.

Clearing House of Gestapo in United States Is in 'Frisco

Washington, May 26—(AP)—Richard Krebs, who wrote the book "Out of the Night" under the pen name of Jan Valtin, told the house committee on un-American activities today that the German Gestapo had a complete "card file" designed to provide Germany with a "constant barometer" of the strength of other nations.

Before the war, he said, New York was the clearing house of the Gestapo in the United States, but he added, "there is very indication that the clearing house has been moved to San Francisco."

Krebs attributed the shift to San Francisco to "undisturbed channels from there to Germany" and to the fact that Fritz Weidmann, German Consul there, is a "trusted lieutenant" of Adolf Hitler.

Germany has thought, the witness said, that if the United States got into a war, it would be with Japan, "and therefore a large part of the German efforts have been concentrated on the west coast."

Aim World Domination

Krebs testified that he had gone to Germany from Moscow in 1933, later broke with the Communist Internationale and became a Gestapo agent. He learned, he said, that the real aim of Germany was "world domination."

The Gestapo foreign division in Hamburg, Krebs said, "does espionage and police work in favor of the German government" outside Germany. Describing the Hamburg office, he said:

"One of the larger rooms was used for card files containing the names of citizens of other nations classified as enemies, friends and an independent class."

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Double Funeral Will Be Held Tuesday for Dr. and Mrs. O'Malley

The funeral of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph M. O'Malley of Ohio, who were killed in an automobile-truck collision in Chicago Friday evening, details of which tragedy were published in Saturday's Telegraph, will be held at the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Ohio at 10:00 o'clock tomorrow morning, followed by burial in Oakwood cemetery, Dixon.

Dr. O'Malley, 65, was born in Marion township. Mrs. O'Malley, 57, was born in Amboy. The couple was married May 22, 1911.

Surviving are one son, Dr. Joseph O'Malley of Lamoille and Mrs. O'Malley's sister, Mrs. Foy Brown of Dixon.

Reserve Militiamen To Get Uniforms This Week

Chicago—(AP)—The 5,000 officers and men of the Illinois Reserve Militia, organized when the Illinois National Guard was called into federal service, will be given their new horizon blue uniforms this week. At an all day school of instruction for 60 home guard officers Saturday, Major Gen. John V. Clinchin, militia commander, modeled the officers' uniform, and Col. Herman H. Weimer, of the first infantry and staff, the uniform of the enlisted guard. The public will see the new uniforms for the first time when the Guardsmen parade on Memorial Day.

Harmon Boy Meets Death in Baseball Game; Neck Broken

Tragedy Mars Carbaugh School Picnic Early Sunday Afternoon

Billy Gene Etheridge, 15, a dependent child living with the family of Supervisor William Kranov, south of Harmon, was instantly killed during the progress of a soft ball game at about 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the annual picnic of the students of the Carbaugh school and their parents at the school grounds celebrating the closing of the school, of which Miss Elaine Kranov is the teacher.

Billy was acting as catcher for a team composed of students and Larry Martinson, a member of the opposing team had batted out a long extra base hit. The victim was attempting to make the put out at the plate when the base runner dashed to the plate, one of his knees striking the catcher in the chest and knocking him down.

Assistance Summoned

It was at first thought that Billy's injuries were only of a minor nature but the older guests at the outing upon examination, discovered that his condition was quite serious. A physician was summoned from Walnut and a call for the resuscitator was telephoned to the Dixon fire department.

Chief Sam Cramer and Assistant Chief Albert Fordyce responded, making the trip to the school which is located four miles southwest of Harmon, in 23 minutes. Upon their arrival they discovered that the boy's neck had been broken, causing instant death. The body was taken to the William Kranov home where Coroner Frank E. Nangle of Paw Paw later conducted an inquest.

Billy had made his home with the Kranov family and attended the Carbaugh school. His father committed suicide by shooting himself three years ago and his mother now resides in Minnesota. A twin brother, Bobby, lives in Ohio where a sister, Lorraine also resides, and an old brother is stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn.

Question Marines in Death of Woman

Indianapolis, May 26—(AP)—Mrs. Gertrude Hatch, 21, plunged to her death from a seventh floor apartment last night and police today were seeking for questioning two men reported to have been among 16 guests at a week end party in the flat.

Sergeant Fay C. Davis of the homicide squad said the other 14 had been questioned and released. Nearly all he said, were marines or former marines.

One of the two men being sought, Davis said he was told, had been in a bedroom with Mrs. Hatch and had run out shouting, "she's gone out the window."

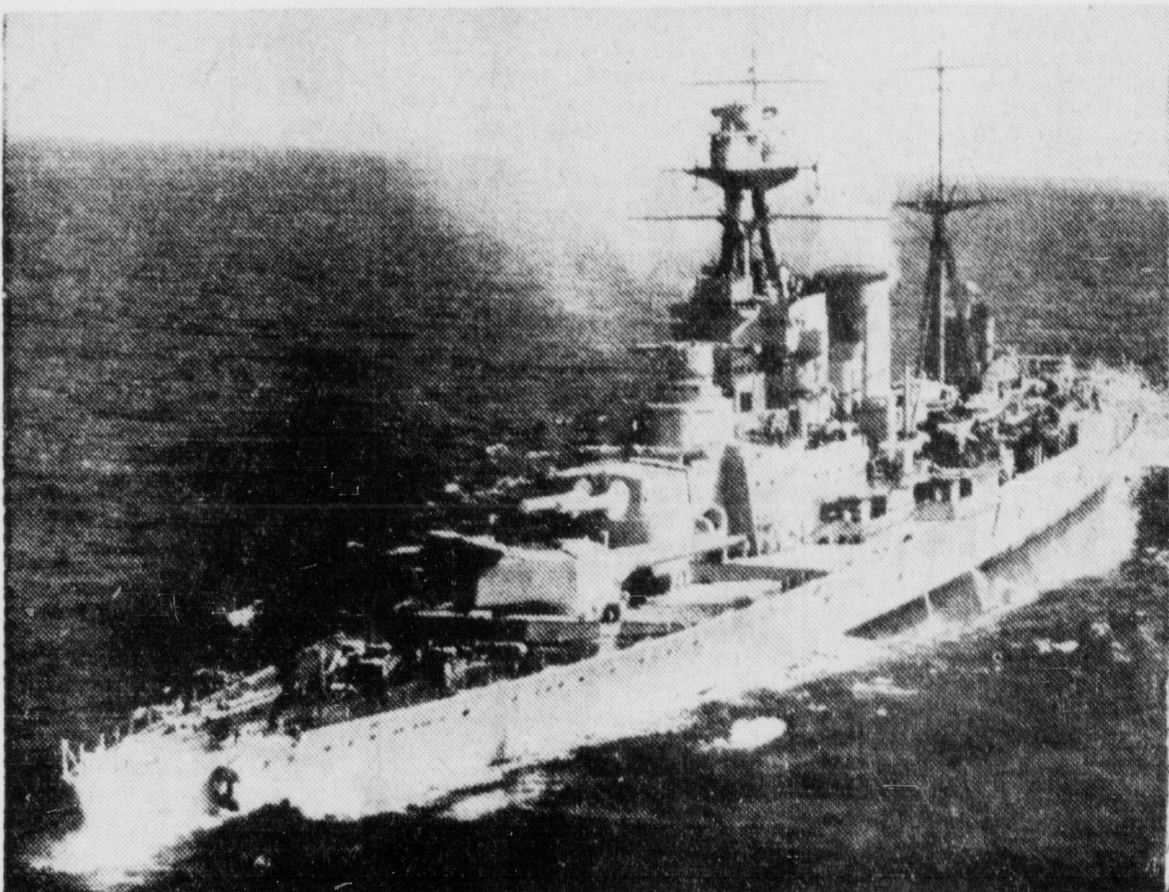
Sergeant Michael L. Griffin said the woman, wearing only a housecoat, had fallen or jumped from a window in the five-room flat of Wayne Simpson, Commander of the Marine Corps League, to a concrete courtyard.

Griffin said that when his emergency squad arrived only Simpson and Charles Depka, former marines, were in the apartment. Depka said he had brought Mrs. Hatch to the party.

Former Dixon Man Is Fatally Hurt in Crash

Walter Watkins, of Toledo, O., former employe of the old Brown Shoe Co. here, was fatally injured in an automobile accident at Marion, O., May 14, it was learned here today, and was laid to rest in St. Louis on the 19th. Mr. Watkins who will be remembered by many Dixonites, is survived by his widow, a daughter, Mrs. Violet Albrecht and a son, Walter, Jr.

British Cruiser Hood Destroyed



The 42,100-ton battle cruiser H. M. S. Hood, biggest warcraft in the world, destroyed in battle off Greenland with crack new German battleship Bismarck when an "unlucky hit" in a magazine blew the giant craft to bits, carrying most of her 1,500 odd officers and men to their death.

Price Pegging for Major Products of Farms Is Approved

Washington, May 26—(AP)—President Roosevelt signed today legislation providing for loans on major farm crops of 85 per cent of parity but declared that he had done so with the understanding that farm prices should not be permitted to go above the so-called parity level.

The legislation provides for mandatory loans on cotton, corn, wheat, rice and tobacco.

Roosevelt said in a statement that the legislation reflected the government's objective for eight years and the fact that farmers "did not have and have not as great a share of the national income as other groups."

But he noted that when the bill becomes law farmers cooperating with the government farm program will be able to receive 85 per cent parity loans, plus cash parity payments, plus soil conservation payments in cash.

"Under no circumstances," the Chief Executive declared, "should the sum of these three exceed parity, x x x I am approving this joint resolution on the distinct understanding that parity payments will be limited to the amount necessary to bring the basic commodities to parity but not beyond parity."

Requires Price-Pegging (Parity prices are designed to give farmers the same purchasing power in terms of non-farm products as they had during the period from 1909 to 1914.)

The legislation requires price-pegging loans on cotton, wheat, corn, rice and tobacco and imposes heavy penalties for marketing "abnormal production."

When it was under discussion in Congress the legislation's supporters estimated that the program would assure farmers cooperating with this year's crop-control measures a return of \$1.15 a bushel for wheat, 87 cents a bushel for corn and 16 cents a pound for cotton. The foregoing figures are averages and include government benefit payments.

The proposed loan rates would be: cotton, 13.49 cents; corn, 69.87 cents; wheat, 96.22 cents; flue-cured tobacco, 19 cents; fire and dark cured tobacco, 8.41 cents and burley, 18.53 cents.

Government loans on these same crops for 1940 were: cotton 8.9 cents; wheat 65 cents; corn 61 cents, and tobacco—flue-cured 15 cents, fire and dark air-cured 7.4 cents, and burley 16.3 cents.

The Weather

MONDAY, MAY 26, 1941

(By The Associated Press)
Chicago and vicinity: Fair and central tonight, Tuesday partly cloudy and warmer, but slightly cooler near the lake in late afternoon fresh southwest winds becoming variable Tuesday afternoon.

Illinois: Fair, warmer north and central tonight Tuesday partly cloudy, cooler near Lake Michigan and extreme west tonight.

Wisconsin: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, preceded by local thundershowers northeast this afternoon or early tonight; cooler Tuesday and north-central and extreme west tonight.

Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, scattered thundershowers Tuesday afternoon north-central and extreme west; cooler extreme north, slightly warmer except south tonight; cooler extreme northeast Tuesday.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. —

Sunday: maximum temperature 71—minimum 42 clear.

Today: maximum temperature 78, minimum 56; clear.

Tuesday: sun rises at 4:36, sets at 7:19.

Terse News

Mausoleum Association—

A meeting of the Oakwood Memorial Mausoleum Association will be held Thursday evening, at the city hall promptly at 7 o'clock.

Open Bids on Culverts—

The road and bridge committee of the board of supervisors was in session at the court house today opening bids for culverts which are to be constructed during the summer, and transacting other business.

Store Hours Thursday—

Because of Friday being a holiday—Memorial Day—the grocery stores of Dixon will abandon, for this week only, their custom of closing at noon on Thursday and will be open all day.

Coroner Nangle to Speak—

Coroner Frank Nangle of Paw Paw will deliver the Memorial Day address at Ransom, LaSalle county, Friday afternoon, the celebration being sponsored by the American Legion post of that place.

Licensed to Wed Here—

Marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Sterling D. Schrock to: Harvey A. Wendell and Miss Runday Delebak, both of Mount Morris; and Mark A. Knoll of Harmon and Miss Lenore K. Dempsey of Amboy.

Monthly Chest Clinic—

The monthly Lee county chest clinic will be held at the South Central school building in Dixon Thursday with Dr. Robert H. Hayes of Chicago as clinician. The clinic will begin at 9 o'clock in the morning.

Automobile Caught Fire—

The fire department was called to Central Place and Third street Sunday afternoon about 1:45 o'clock where crossed wires started a fire in a car belonging to Perry Unangst. The fire was extinguished before the department arrived and the car was only slightly damaged.

Unusual Accident Sunday—

A car driven by W. W. Wooley of this city was considerably damaged in an unusual accident Saturday afternoon at Third street and Ottawa avenue. The driver was reported to have lost control of the car at Second street and Ottawa avenue, the machine proceeding south to Third street, where it crashed head-on into a tree. The driver escaped with only minor injuries.

Submits to Operation—

Mrs. G. W. Palmer of Nelson is recovering satisfactorily at Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital, where she submitted to a major operation on Friday afternoon. She became seriously ill on Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Palmer of Princeton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Palmer and son of Madison, Wis., and Mrs. Crystal Fay of Chicago visited her during the week end.

Lightner Bros. Enlist—

Word has been received by Dixon relatives of the enlistment in service of two former residents of Dixon, Kenneth and Everett "Bud" Lightner, sons of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Lightner of Jefferson City, Mo. The latter, a former high school athlete and football star, is in the Army Air Corps stationed at Scott Field, Ill. his brother Kenneth being in training at Fort Jackson, S. C., where he is a member of Battery D, 128th Field Artillery.

Fined \$100 and Costs—

Kenneth Netzt of Pine Creek township, Ogle county, paid a fine of \$100 and costs when arraigned before Judge Grover Gehant in Lee County court Saturday afternoon, where an information charging him with driving while intoxicated

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British Suffer Reverses Over Dark Week-End

The War Today!

BY DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Telegraph Special News Service)

All the sensational developments of the week-end seemed to be hooked with on of the most critical problems which confront the British and their allies at the moment—whether the French government at Vichy intends to carry its collaboration with the nazis to the extent of giving up its colonies for bases.

The sea fight off Greenland, which cost John Bull the battle-cruiser Hood, a grand ship of such graceful lines that he took greater pride in it than any other was a grim part of the battle of the Atlantic. It is a potent reminder that if the Germans get the French ports on the west coast of Africa, especially Dakar, they will be in far stronger position for their assault on America's all-out aid and other trans-Atlantic shipping.

With this must be coupled nazi Grand Admiral Raeder's warning that the use of American convoys for contraband to Britain would be an "open war act" to which the German navy would reply with gunfire if necessary.

Every moment that the battle of Crete proceeds it calls attention to the likelihood that French-mandated Syria will become a full-fledged nazi base if the Germans win—and maybe it will if they don't—thus creating a powerful threat against the Suez canal and Egypt.

Every moment, too, that this conflict in the eastern Mediterranean remains at white heat, we may be sure that the Germans are taking advantage of this distraction to run troops and equipment through the British blockade to the African shores of this inland sea. Are these forces going into the French colonies, to establish a grave threat against England's control of the all-important Mediterranean theater?

That's a question upon which the security of the allied cause may hinge. Obviously, then, Britain must have an immediate answer. It's too dangerous to let the matter ride along.

She must have absolute assurance that the French won't permit German use of the colonies. She can get this assurance in one of two ways—by a guarantee from the French, or by taking military action to safeguard herself.

The French promise of collaboration with Germany has brought about a break between France and America, barring severance of diplomatic relations. The same is true of Britain, and Foreign Minister Anthony Eden has warned that the allies will strike the enemy on French soil if necessary.

Meanwhile the French in Syria have been permitting the Germans to use their airdromes for warplanes in transit, and at the same time are threatening to meet the British with force if they enter the country. Whether the Syrian position gives a key to the whole situation remains to be seen, but it certainly isn't encouraging to the allies.

It's hard to believe that France would deliver herself up to a Germany which, in the language of President Roosevelt, is bent on "the utter destruction of liberty". Indeed, we know that many of

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Warship Hood Is Sunk: Lines in Crete Cut

(By The Associated Press)

Adolf Hitler's aerial invaders of Crete, reinforced by air-borne tanks and sea-transported troops, penetrated British defense lines today in an attack west of Canea, the Crete capital, and axis reports asserted that the British fleet had been driven off after suffering enormous losses.

British Middle East headquarters, acknowledging nazi inroads under cover of a violent assault by the German luftwaffe, said that New Zealand troops were counter-attacking and that "severe fighting is continuing" in the Canea sector.

The Germans now apparently had three strong footholds on the 160-mile-long island—in the regions of Canea, Candia and Retimo—and the nazi high command reported "a steady flow of reinforcements" was arriving from Greek mainland bases, 100 miles away.

British general headquarters' description of the German attack "west of Canea" presumably referred to the vicinity of nazi-held Malemi airdrome.

British Tommies, along with fight-hardened Australians and New Zealanders, were said to have inflicted "heavy casualties" on the Germans in the 7-day-old struggle.

Terrific Bombardment

Reports reaching Cairo said that over the weekend the nazi luftwaffe had bombed Crete's principal cities on a terrific scale, comparable to the bombing of Rotterdam, Holland, when Hitler's invasion armies stormed into the lowland countries last spring.

These reports said Crete natives escaped severe loss of life by taking shelter in the island's caves, which include the famed labyrinth and the Dictaeon cave, legendary birthplace of Zeus.

London sources disclosed that British marines are now engaged in the battle, but they declined to say whether substantial reinforcements were being landed to fight the nazi invaders.

The German high command declared that nazi warplanes and Italian naval and air forces sank a total of 11 cruisers, eight destroyers, a submarine and five speedboats in the eastern Mediterranean since the conflict began last Tuesday.

British Chief Confident

Despite these reported setbacks, Maj. Gen. T. B. Heywood, chief of the British military mission to the Greeks, predicted calmly:

"I think it will be possible to hold Crete."

Long-range RAF warplanes, flying from North African desert airdromes, were reported to have entered the fight against nazi aerial troop-carriers after RAF fighter planes had been withdrawn last week when Crete's few airfields were declared untenable against nazi dive-bombing assaults.

Premier Mussolini's high command said fascist planes were also engaged in the attack on Crete, repeatedly bombing and machine-gunning strongholds on the island.

Cruiser Blown to Bits

In Berlin—capping a week end which saw Britain's mighty 41,100-ton battle cruiser Hood blown

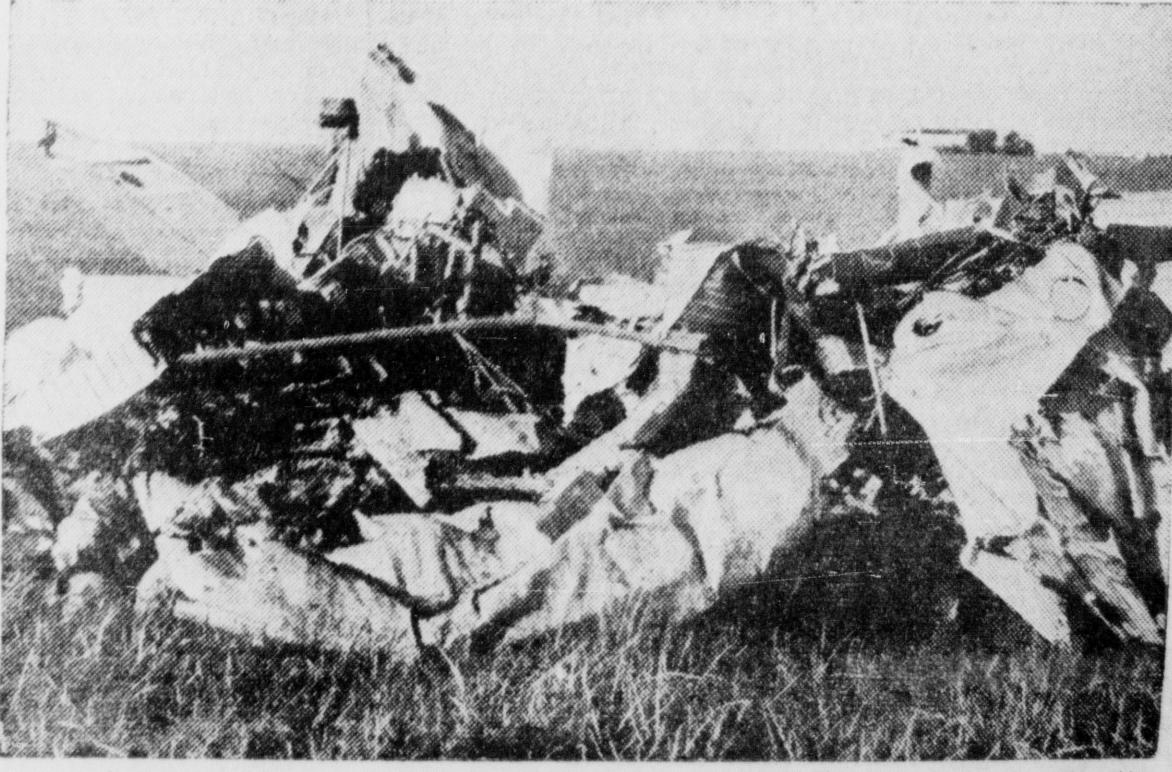
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African Troops Enter Capital of Ethiopia



Skirling pipes from band of South African regiment, sound death knell of Italy's African empire as British forces march through Addis Ababa April 5 after advancing 1,800 miles in less than 60 days.

Two Youths Die After Air Struggle



Wreckage of plane in which two youths engaged in air battle over Wichita, Kan., airport in vain attempt by one to frustrate suicide plan of the other. Victims were William D. Woodward, 20, who left three suicide notes, and John K. Blanpied, 21, who tried vainly to gain control of ship.

PROCEEDINGS OF LEE CO. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss.
On Tuesday, the 6th day of May, A. D., 1941, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Board of Supervisors of Lee County met at the Court House in the city of Dixon in monthly meeting.

Present, Chairman Spencer and Supervisors Hemenway, Buckingham, Wagner, Vaupel, Archer, Elmer J. Miller, Ruggles, Leon W. Miller, Prescott, Wilson, Garrison, Higby, Dulen, Mau, Kranov, Willis, Finn, Becker, Wolf, Emmitt, Hart, Mehlhausen, Cortright, Kuebel, Webber, Risetter and Case.

On motion of Supervisor Mau, seconded by Supervisor Mehlhausen, all claims and communications on file be referred to the proper committees. Carried.

The Clerk read a petition from H. H. Dysart, Commissioner of Highways of China Township for County Aid in building a culvert in said Township and on motion by Supervisor Hemenway, seconded by Supervisor Willis, the petition was referred to the Road & Bridge Committee and they to bring in their report at this meeting. Carried. Said Petition being as follows:

State of Illinois,
County of Lee,
Town of China—ss.

To the Board of Supervisors of Lee County, Illinois:

The undersigned, Highway Commissioner of the Town of China in said County, would respectfully represent that a culvert needs to be constructed over the ditch in Section 12, China Twp. where the same is crossed by the highway leading from Whitney's corner to Franklin Grove in said Town, for which said work the Town of China is held responsible; that the total cost of said work will be Twenty-six hundred fifty-three & 70-100 Dollars, which sum will be more than four cents on the One Hundred Dollars valuation, on the latest assessment roll of said Town, and the levy for road and bridge tax for the two years last past in said Town was in each year for the full amount allowed by law to be raised for all road and bridge purposes, except for laying out, altering, widening or vacating roads, the major part of which levy is needed for the ordinary repair of roads and bridges.

Wherefore, the said Highway Commissioner hereby petition you for aid, and for an appropriation from the County Treasury of a sum sufficient to meet one-half the expenses of said bridge or other work, said Town being prepared to furnish the other half of the amount required.

Dated at Dixon, this 6th day of May, A. D. 1941.
H. H. DYSART,
Highway Commissioner.

State of Illinois,
County of Lee,
Town of China—ss.

I, the undersigned of the Town of China, County aforesaid, hereby state that I have made a careful estimate of the probable cost of the construction

Estimate of Cost
\$23 cu. yds. class x concrete at \$24.00 per cu. yd. (including cement) \$1975.20
\$770 lb. of reinforcing steel at 5c per lb. 435.50
600 cu. yds. channel change excavation, and backfill at 40c per cu. yd. 240.00
TOTAL COST \$2650.70
and I do estimate that the probable cost of the same will be Twenty-six hundred fifty-three & 70-100 Dollars.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of May A. D. 1941.

FRED W. LEAKE,
State of Illinois,
County of Lee,
Town of China—ss.

H. H. Dysart, Highway Commissioner of said Town of China being duly sworn on oath says that Twenty-six hundred fifty-three & 70-100 Dollars mentioned in the estimate to which this affidavit is attached is necessary, and that the same will not be more expensive than is needed for the purpose required.

H. H. DYSART,
Highway Commissioner.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6th day of May A. D. 1941.

FRED W. LEAKE,
Notary Public.

A Recommendation from the Road & Bridge Committee as to a new W. P. A. Project for the ensuing year was read to the Board by the Clerk, and on motion of Supervisor Hart, seconded by Supervisor Finn, the recommendation be adopted as read. Carried. Said recommendation being as follows:

May 6, 1941.
RECOMMENDATION OF ROAD AND BRIDGE COMMITTEE.

Gentlemen:

Your Road and Bridge Committee would hereby recommend that New WPA Project be set up by the Board of Supervisors of Lee County for the ensuing year (Day Labor Construction) using WPA labor under the provisions of the Motor Fuel Tax Law and we respectfully request that the Road and Bridge Committee together with the County Superintendent of Highways be authorized by the Board to set up such a program as is here outlined.

1. Complete the County Farm Road together with that portion within the limits of the Village of Eldena.

2. Grade, shoulder, clear, replace fences, put in drainage structures, crush and hard stone preparatory

to black-topping the Rock Island Road from a point 200 ft. west of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad crossing west of the Cook School northeast to the west line of Section 13 (Atkinson corner).

3. Grade, shoulder, clear, replace fences, put in drainage structures, crush and hard stone and construct the road preparatory to black-topping, commencing near the south City Limits of the City of Amboy on the McCaffrey road near the quarter section corner on the east of Section 21 and continuing west two miles to the Green School House.

4. Grade, shoulder, clear, replace fences, put in drainage structures, crush and haul stone and construct the road preparatory to black-topping commencing at the south corporation limits line of the Village of Ashton and continuing south and east over the State Aid Road approximately 3 miles to the southwest corner of Section 2 in Bradford Township, and that an extension be made to Section 24B-M. F. T. (Culvert Program) and that additional money be appropriated as necessary from Motor Fuel Tax Funds for the construction of the following culverts (by Day Labor):

1. The Buckley culvert near the southwest corner of Section 16 May Township.

2. The Edgington Culvert on the highway north of Franklin Grove about 60 rods south of the Lee-Ogle County line in China Township.

3. The Noble Culvert on the Amboy-May Town line near the southwest corner of Section 32, Amboy Township.

4. The Kiester Culvert on the Rock Island Road, 80 rods east of the Southwest corner of Section 21, Nelson Township.

5 & 6. Two culverts in South Dixon Township one across the ditch in the road leading west from the Levan School near the southeast corner of Section 17 and one about 100 ft. north across the Dad Joe Trail 100 ft. north of the southwest corner of Section 17.

7. One in Lee Center Township about 40 rods west of the Shaw Station corners.

Respectfully submitted,
ROAD & BRIDGE COMMITTEE,
J. T. EMMITT, Chairman,
FRED MEHLHAUSEN,
C. G. BUCKINGHAM,
CHAS. C. CASE,
LEON W. MILLER.

The following Request from E. S. Rosecrans was read to the Board by the Clerk:

TO THE HONORABLE LEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

We respectfully submit the following list of books that are needed for use in this office:

Mortgage Index No. 36—Canvassed covered, bound book.
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Five (5) Loose-Leaf Photostat binders—canvassed covered.

E. S. ROSECRANS,
Circuit Clerk & Recorder.

On motion of Supervisor Kuebel, seconded by Supervisor Wolf, the request was referred to the Purchasing Committee with power to act. Carried.

The following request from Sheriff G. P. Finch, was read to the Board by the Clerk:

REQUEST FROM THE SHERIFF

To the Hon. Chairman and Lee County Board of Supervisors.

Gentlemen:

Due to the prevailing demand for labor, wages have risen accordingly, these and other reasons have increased the cost of living to a pronounced degree.

The Janitors for the Lee County Court House at one time were asked to take a 20 per cent reduction in wages which they did. Later when conditions warranted, half of the reduction was given back to them.

I therefore request that the amount allowed for Janitor service be raised back from One hundred and eighty dollars per month, which is now allowed to the amount of \$200.00 per month, which was the amount paid the Lee County Court House Janitors before the cut.

Respectfully requested,
G. P. FINCH, Sheriff.

On motion of Supervisor Emmitt, seconded by Supervisor Garrison, the request be referred to the Fees & Salary Committee and they to bring in their report at this meeting.

Carried.

A further Request from Sheriff G. P. Finch was read to the Board by the Clerk as follows:

Request of the Sheriff.

To the Hon. Chairman and Lee County Board of Supervisors:

Gentlemen:

Believing that the increased demand for labor and the continuous rise in living entirely justifies me in requesting this Board to allow an increase in the amount allowed the Office Deputy for the Sheriff's Office from \$20.00 per week now allowed to \$25.00 per week.

Respectfully submitted:
G. P. FINCH, Sheriff.

On motion of Supervisor Risetter, seconded by Supervisor Case, the request was referred to the Fees and Salary Committee and they to report at this meeting.

Carried.

Supervisor Webber stated that he had \$500.00 which represents money loaned Viola Township by Lee County for purchase of Right of Way for the Brooklyn Spur, and he would like to return said amount back into the County Treasury.

On motion of Supervisor Archer, seconded by Supervisor Risetter, Supervisor Webber is directed to procure an order from the County Clerk directing the County Treasurer to receive said amount and

place it in the proper fund. Carried.

Superintendent of Highways Fred W. Leake spoke before the Board relative to the new W. P. A. program which had been adopted by the Board, stating that W. P. A. Projects was using County Machinery and road equipment so much that necessary work in several townships was not being cared for. Considerable discussion was entered into by Mr. Leake and several Supervisors.

On motion of Supervisor Buckingham, seconded by Supervisor Archer, the Board of Supervisors adjourned until 2:00 o'clock this P. M. Carried.

At the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the Board of Supervisors re-convened. Present same as at the morning session with the exception of Supervisor Ruggles.

Ex-Coroner Dr. Kenyon B. Segner spoke before the Board relative to back fees due him as Coroner. He stated that many fees were due him from the County for inquests which he performed and from which he could not collect the fees. He also stated that the Board was unfair in setting up the resolution they did some time back setting the Salary & Expense of the Coroner. Some discussion by several Supervisors but that no action was taken on the matter.

The claims of E. X. Newcomer Co. for balance of Premium on Workman's Compensation and Occupational Disease Insurance in the amount of \$86.35, was read to the Board by the Clerk and on motion of Supervisor Hemenway, seconded by Supervisor Willis, the claim be allowed and the Clerk is directed to issue an order for the amount. Carried.

The Educational Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Garrison, seconded by Supervisor Mehlhausen, the claims are allowed as read and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Baker Paper Co., supplies. \$18.60

Zion Office Supply Co., supplies. 2.66

Metropolitan Supply Co., supplies. 40.84

Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Co., supplies. 10.20

Edwards Book Store, supplies. 2.25

John A. Torrens, incidental expense and field service. 23.72

The Fees & Salary Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Wolf, seconded by Supervisor Wilson, the claims are allowed as read and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

John M. Buckley, Atty. fees. 10.00

Dep. Child ordered by Co. Judge. 16.00

Frank E. Nangle, inquest. 280.00

Fred W. Leake, salary and allowed expense. 130.00

Sheriff attending Co. Court. 8.00

Sheriff, attending Cir. Ct. 130.00

Sheriff, guarding jail. 30.00

Sheriff, Bailiff Hire. 150.00

Sheriff, Feeding Prisoners and keeping jail. 169.18

Dr. K. B. Segner, ex-coroner, Inquest Fees, Amt. \$128.00. Not Allowed

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Dr. K. B. Segner, ex-coroner, Inquest Fees, Amt. \$96.00. Not Allowed

Dr. K. B. Segner, ex-coroner, Inquest Fees, Amt. \$48.00. Not Allowed

Dr. K. B. Segner, ex-coroner, Inquest Fees, Amt. \$80.00. Not Allowed

The County Home Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Archer, the claims are allowed as read and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Glessner Hdw. & Lbr. Co., supplies. \$14.48

Villiger's Drug Store, supplies. 1.69

C. J. Dawson Agt., Tobacco supplies. 14.73

Boydton-Richards & Co., mds. 7.88

National Biscuit Co., supplies. 7.78

Dr. J. B. Werren, medical service. 10.00

Cahill's Elec. Shop, labor & repairs. 4.16

Lee Co. Cold Storage Co., preparing meat for locker. 36.85

Dixon Grocery & Market, groceries. 25.61

Beier Bakery, April bread account. 16.26

Plozman's Busy Store, groceries. 9.09

R. S. Shoe Store, shoes for inmates. 20.93

Willis M. Fry, salary Supt. Matron, hired help and exp. acct. 292.10

Sheriff Finch stated to the Board that the County T. B. Board were going to move the T. B. nurse into temporary quarters on Galea avenue until the addition to the Dixon Public Hospital was completed when they will have an office there, and stated that Circuit Judge George C. Dixon requested this room for his library but would need a door cut between this room and the Judge's study or office and asked the Board to take some action on the matter.

On motion of Supervisor Hemenway, seconded by Supervisor Buckingham, the matter be referred to the Building Committee with power to act. Carried.

The Claims Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims,

and on motion of Supervisor Finn, seconded by Supervisor Kuebel, the claims are allowed as read and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Fred Mehlhausen, comm. serv. \$33.50

John S. Archer, exp. as delegate to State Conv. 15.00

Leon J. Hart, exp. and mileage to State Conv. 33.00

Leon W. Miller, comm. serv. 32.20

John T. Emmitt, comm. serv. 33.80

John J. Wagner, comm. serv. 6.50

Edwards Book Store, supplies Cir. Clerk & Rec. 3.24

Edwards Book Store, supplies State's Atty. 2.25

Edwards Book Store, supplies, Co. Supt. of Hghys. 2.00

Hintz Studio, articles furnished, order State's Atty. 8.45

Dixon Home Telephone Co., services, State's Atty. 7.60

General Supply Co., supplies Co. Clerk Off. 10.30

John Dixon, Atty., money advanced for dep. 2.45

Clinton Paper Co., supplies for Ct. House 12.49

Geo. J. Fruin, P. M., envelopes for Ct. Clerk 76.74

A. C. Handell, money expended. 60

Dr. H. J. McCoy, inquisitions. 10.00

Dr. J. L. Tavenner, inquisition. 5.00

C. G. Buckingham, comm. serv. 69.00

Chas. C. Case, comm. serv. 39.60

Dixon Public Hospital, hospitalization. 61.90

W. T. Holladay, operation, dep. child. 67.50

Amboy Public Hospital, hospitalization. 32.11

Dixon Public Hospital, hospitalization. 33.50

The Soldiers & Sailors Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Buckingham, seconded by Supervisor Webber, the claims are allowed as read and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Conlon's Grocery, groceries. \$18.00

E. D. Countryman, groceries. 20.60

Dr. E. A. Sullivan, medical services. 2.00

Dr. E. A. Sullivan, medical services. 20.00

C. G. Buckingham, mdse. purchased. 4.20

James McMahon, house rent. 6.00

W. N. Hills, groceries. 28.00

Royal Blue Store, groceries. 20.00

W. C. Jones Grocery, groceries. 10.00

Byron LaFever Grocery, groceries. 4.91

Public Supply Co., coal. 6.00

Burmeister Coal Co., coal. 5.50

Wayne Archer, groceries. 8.00

W. C. Jones Grocery, groceries. 10.00

Dr. R. T. Lasage, medical services. 17.00

Plozman's Busy Store, groceries. 20.00

Byron LaFever Grocery, groceries. 3.00

Pentland Coal Co., coal. 6.18

National Tea Co., groceries. 10.00

Dr. J. L. Tavenner, operation. 62.50

Dixon Public Hospital, hospitalization. 69.00

The Building Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Kranov, seconded by Supervisor Dulen, the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Metropolitan Supply Co., Hdw. Supplies Co. Jail. 2.83

Frank M. Hughes, Blk. dirt, Ct. House Yard. 2.00

Poole's Laundry, laundrying at Ct. House. 7.48

Dixon Distilled Water Ice Co., ice book, Ct. House. 7.00

Cahill's Electric Shop, supplies, Ct. House. 4.27

Dixon Paint & Wall Paper Co., rent of sander. 10.10

The Pauper Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Becker, seconded by Supervisor Cortright, the claims are allowed as read and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Dr. J. H. Lund, operation. 62.50

Dixon Public Hospital, hospitalization. 42.50

St. John Hospital, hospitalization. 16.00

Amboy Public Hospital, hospitalization. 30.50

Whiteside Co. Clerk, Prorata share, Lee County, Federal Commodity Dept. 77.57

Dixon Public Hospital, hospitalization. 256.90

Dixon Public Hospital, care and tests, Wayne Owen. 42.50

Hotel Blackhawk, lodging. 3.00

Art Matenson, del. Fed. foods. 153.75

Dr. G. A. Sullivan, medical service. 20.00

Dr. G. A. Sullivan, medical service. 26.00

John J. Wagner, money expended. 2.25

Dr. Robert T. Lesage, operation. 62.50

Dr. S. P. Stackhouse, hospitalization. 25.00

Wyoming Township, bills paid for Wayne E. Write. amount \$353.44. Not Allowed

Supervisor Mau, Chairman of the Pauper Committee explained that several claims had not been allowed because the committee felt that the claims were for services rendered too long ago, and that the County was not responsible for their payment. Considerable discussion was entered into by several Supervisors regarding a definite time when the County

would be liable for payment of claims of this kind.

On Motion of Supervisor Risetter, seconded by Supervisor Archer, that the Board do not recognize claims of this kind for hospitalization, medical care, etc., which occurred prior to May 1, 1941. Carried.

The Printing Committee presents their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Buckingham, seconded by Supervisor Risetter, the claims are allowed as read and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Frank Shepard Co., laws repts., State's Atty. off. 25.00

The Amboy News, publication special judicial ballot. 13.50

P. F. Pettibone & Co., legal forms, Co. Clerk. 8.37

Illinois Office Supply Co., supplies Co. Clerk Off. 1.41

Illinois Office Supply Co., supplies Co. Clerk Off. 32.26

The Judiciary Committee present their report on the application of the Blind Pension which report is in the words as follows:

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. Board of Supervisors, May Term.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors:

Your Committee to whom was referred the application of Thomas McBride for a Blind Pension would beg leave to submit the following Report on the matters before them:

That the application be allowed as of May 1, 1941.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. CORTRIGHT,
Chairman.

LEON MILLER,
J. E. MAU,
GEO. F. PRESCOTT,
CHAS. C. CASE.

On motion of Supervisor Cortright, seconded by Supervisor Wagner, that the recommendations of the committee be concurred in by the Board. Carried.

The following Recommendation of the Purchasing Committee was read to the

Society News

Moss-Meyers Bridal Is Read at Western Springs

The impressive single ring wedding service of the Episcopal church was pronounced by the Rev. Robert L. Stubbs at the First Congregational church in Western Springs at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, when Miss Beatrice Helen Meyers, daughter of the Theodore Francis Kalls of Western Springs became the bride of Dr. Grover C. Moss of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland Moss of Nevada, Mo. Guests from Indiana, Wisconsin, Illinois and Missouri assembled for the ceremony.

Southern ferns screened the altar, and at either side of the chancel steps, two tall, cone-shaped crystal vases held white lilies.

Mrs. Kenneth Haines of Hammond, Ind., formerly of Dixon, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Aveline Gilbert of Hillsdale and Miss Mary Davies of Chicago and Dixon, and the little flower girl was Kay Moss, the bridegroom's young niece.

Carson L. Moss of Nevada, Mo. served his brother as best man. Robert Weaver of Milwaukee was senior usher, and assisting him were S. M. Schwartz of Streator, Robert L. Eno and John Dixon of this city.

Traditional White

The bride walked with her father, who gave her in marriage. Her wedding gown of white mousseline de soie was designed with a three-yard train. Her tulle veil was held to her coiffure with an original coronet of knife-pleated tulle. White stephanotis and lilies formed her bridal bouquet, and her only jewelry was a single strand of pearls.

Mrs. Haines was wearing white-ribbon-pleated organza, with a headpiece of yellow daisies, and carried a nosegay of the same blossoms. Her gown was copied for the bridesmaids, whose headpieces and flowers were also identical. Yellow daisies, too, formed the headpiece and bouquet for the little flower girl, who was dressed in white organza.

Mrs. Kalls chose a floor-length dress of green linen and a green and white hat for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Moss, mother of the bridegroom, wore pastel blue, with a skirt of accordion pleated crepe and a lace bodice. Their shoulder corsages were sprays of gardenias.

Reception at Home

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Kalls home in Western Springs for 80 guests. The centerpiece on the bride's table was the wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, surrounded by yellow daisies and ferns. Stephanotis, spilling from crystal cor-

S. S. S. Club Gives Breakfast

Members of the S. S. S. club were breakfast hostesses of Sunday morning, entertaining at Peter Piper's in compliment to two young women. Miss Rose Bevilacqua and Miss Lois Marie Muzzey, who are soon to become brides. Garden flowers decorated the table, with umbrella placecards marking the covers.

Guests were the Misses Betty Moran, Carol Lyons, Pauline Blackburn, Mary Lucille James, Dorothy Lievan, Marilyn Crawford, Marian Biggers, Ruth Perry, Jane Vest, Helen Frazier, Donna Welch, and the brides-to-be.

Miss Bevilacqua is to become Mrs. Oscar Witzleb on Friday, and Miss Muzzey's marriage to Werner Vogel of Steling is to take place on June 7.

Lenore Dempsey Becomes Bride of Mark Knoll

Miss Lenore Dempsey, daughter of the Lawrence Dempseys of Marion township, exchanged wedding vows with Mark Knoll, son of Frank Knoll of Minonk, Ill., in a nuptial high mass Saturday at St. Mary's Catholic church in Walton. The Rev. Father D. R. Daley performed the ceremony at 8:30 o'clock.

Edward Conroy and Paul Donnelly were altar boys. Mrs. C. C. Ackert was the nuptial soloist and played her own accompaniments. The bride party entered the church to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, and left the altar as Mrs. Ackert played the Mendelssohn march.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of white tulle net with shadow lace trim, and a long train. The fitted bodice was designed with a sweetheart neckline and long sleeves, and her fingertip veil fell from a halo of seed pearls. Talisman roses and sweetpeas were combined for her colonial bouquet.

Miss Arvilla Dempsey was her sister's maid of honor. She was dressed in peach-colored tulle net, with a bouquet to match that of the bride's.

Sylvester Brechon was best man for Mr. Knoll.

A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents for about 40 guests. The Misses Jane Knoll, Mary Alice Kent, Mary Dempsey, Rita O'Malley, Helen Fitzsimmons and Rita Dempsey served. The center decoration on the peach and white table was a three-tier wedding cake.

When Mr. Knoll and his bride returned from a wedding trip to Wisconsin, they will be at home on a farm north of Harmon. For traveling, the bride chose a Nile green redingote ensemble with white accessories.

Mrs. Knoll was graduated from Amboy Township high school. The bridegroom, who formerly attended the Harmon schools, is employed at Sterling.

HORACE BECK AND DEKALB GIRL TO WED

Miss Elizabeth Haka of DeKalb, fiancée of Horace J. Beck of Warsaw, N. Y., formerly of Rochelle and Dekalb, was guest of honor at a luncheon party given recently by Mrs. R. J. Carson of Rochelle. Miss Haka's fiancée is a brother of Miss Zulah and Claire Beck of Grand Detour.

Guests were present from DeKalb, Sycamore, Chicago, and Rochelle.

Miss Haka is planning a June wedding.

ROEMMICK-RICHARDS MARRIAGE IS READ

The marriage of Miss Ethel I. Richards of Amboy and Ralph Roemmick of Sulette was solemnized at 2 p. m. Saturday at the parsonage of the Dixon Methodist church. Dr. F. L. Blewfield heard the couple's vows.

Miss Darlene Richards, sister of the bride, and Miss Verna Peterson attended the couple, who will reside on a farm near Sublette.

CUNNINGHAMS HAVE REUNION

Forty-eight relatives from Mt. Morris, Polo, Oregon and Dixon attended a reunion of the Cunningham family on Sunday at Lowell park. Attending from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. George Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cunningham of Waterloo, Iowa, who were week end guests at the T. N. Cunningham home.

PALMYRA SOCIETY

Members of the Palmyra Aid society are announcing a scramble luncheon for 12:30 o'clock Wednesday at Lowell Park. In case of rain, the group will meet at Mrs. Charles Butterbaugh's home. Election of officers will follow the luncheon.

Calendar

Tonight

Mrs. Roy Wadsworth's class, St. Paul's church—Mrs. William Gerdes, hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Nelson Community club—At Cook school, 8 p. m.

St. Patrick Catholic Women's club—In St. Mary's hall, 6:30 p. m.; scramble supper.

Tuesday

Practical club—Mrs. D. G. Palmer, hostess.

Dixon Bethel, Job's Daughters—Installation of guardian.

Amoma class, Baptist Sunday school—Mrs. C. J. McLean, hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday

Women golfers, Dixon Country club—Blind bogey match, 9 a. m.

Junior linkswomen, Dixon Country club—Supper match.

Palmyra Aid society—Election of officers; scramble, 12:30 p. m.

American Legion Auxiliary—In G. A. R. hall, 7:30 p. m.

Who's New club—At Loveland Community House, 2 p. m.

Aid Society, Grace Evangelical church—Mrs. Ulrich Zuend, guest speaker, 2:30 p. m.

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Dixon Music Club Meets at Rochelle

Vincent Carney of Rochelle will be host to members of the Dixon Music club tomorrow evening. "Contemporary Foreign Composers" is the theme for the program, which will include the following numbers:

"En Bateau," (Zackwer); "Valse" from "Three Fantastic Dances," (Shottakovich); and "Berceuse," (Palmgren), Mr. Carney, accompanist.

"Que Devientment les Roses," (Paulini); "J'ai pleure en rêve," (Hue); Stasia Biefang; Mr. Carney, accompanist.

"Bear Dance," (Bartek); "Etude," (Szymanowski); "Polka from 'Age d'Or,'" (Shottakovich); Naomi Wolf.

"In the Silence of Night," (Rachmaninoff); "Pour l'Armour," (Vehanen); Floyd Biefang; Mr. Carney, accompanist.

Intermission

"Vogelin," (Grieg); "Of Br'er Rabbit," (MacDowell); "From a German Forest," (MacDowell); Miss Clara Armstrong.

"One Fleeting Hour," (Dorothy Lee); Mr. Biefang.

"Notturmo," (Respighi); "Valse," (Rachmaninoff); Miss Wolf.

Duets, "O Lovely Night," (Landon Ronald); "Allah Be With Us," (Woodford-Finden); Stasia and Floyd Biefang.

"Concerto (in the Italian style), allegro animato, andante molto espressivo, presto gioioso," (Bach); Miss Armstrong.

Return From Supreme Shrine

Four members of Corinthian Shrine, No. 40, W. S. of J. returned to Dixon on Saturday, after attending sessions of the supreme shrine at St. Louis, Mo. The quartet included Mrs. Glenn Coe, who served in the escort at the opening ceremony and as worthy guide for a school of instruction; and Miss Gertrude Youngman, Miss Ruth Fuels, and Mrs. Harley Swartz, who were among the queen's attendants.

Mrs. Katherine Applegate of Racine, Wis., was elected supreme worthy high priestess to succeed Mrs. Alta Flagg of Charlestown, Mass. Dr. Leonard Williams of Oklahoma City is the new supreme watchman of shepherds, succeeding E. Joel Carpenter of Allentown, Pa.; and Mrs. Marie Knight of Glassport, Pa. was chosen for the office of supreme worthy guide. Mrs. Flagg has visited Corinthian shrine, and was Mrs. Coe's guest here for several days in February.

In May, 1942 the supreme shrine will hold its convention in New York City.

EVENING PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boos will entertain at their cottage west of Dixon this evening in celebration of their wedding anniversary. Their guests will be Mrs. Minnie Boos, Mrs. Ernest Moeller, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boos, Miss Olive Boos and Otis Burns.

WHO'S NEW CLUB

Members of the Who's New club are invited all newcomers in Dixon to join them for an afternoon meeting to be held at the Loveland Community House at 2 o'clock on Wednesday.

METHODIST CHURCH CHOIRS PERFORM ADMIRABLY UNDER MISS WORLEY'S DIRECTION

Last night's concert by the Senior, Treble Clef and Junior choirs of the Dixon Methodist church had just about everything that it takes to make a successful evening for the enthusiastic, music-loving throng which filled the church to near capacity. First of all, the audience was justly proud of the singers who performed in a manner entirely to its credit under the skillful direction of Miss Marie Worley. And then, at offertory, Dr. F. L. Blewfield, pastor, announced that the organ committee and trustees in a pre-concert meeting had awarded the contract for a new pipe organ to be installed in the early summer.

The silver offering from last evening's concert, amounting to over \$100, is to be applied on incidental expenses associated with installation of the new organ, which was bequeathed to the church by the late Mrs. Hattie Dodge. The organ committee includes: A. N. Boyd, chairman; F. X. Newcomer, O. W. Dodd, J. W. Courtwright, Dr. Blewfield, and Crawford Thomas.

It was obvious that last night's performers, singers, director and accompanists alike had worked hard and faithfully through the past several weeks, on attacks and releases, as well as tone quality and interpretation, for there was nothing at any point in the program that appeared to be uncalculated. Every effect seemed to have been worked out with mathematical precision, and the results were deeply satisfying.

Each choir was given an opportunity to demonstrate how far it has progressed in the ability to sing as a unit of well-blended voices, and there were also ensemble numbers in which the singers' voices rang out with vibrant volume and fervor.

Crawford Thomas, organist, provided a full quota of keyboard background for the choirs, his gifted playing adding immeasurably to the pleasure of the evening. A high point of the program was an organ-piano number, in which Mr. Thomas was joined by an accomplished young pianist, Bud Bradford, who also turned in an admirable performance. Lending still further variety and beauty to the program was a harp selection by Miss Virginia Jane Lund.

WOMEN GOLFERS OCCUPY LINKS ON WEDNESDAY

Women golfers of the Dixon Country club will tee off at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning for their first blind bogey match of the season. Luncheon will be served afterward at the clubhouse. Mrs. Leo Miller, May hostess chairman, is in charge of arrangements.

On Wednesday afternoon, junior linkswomen will be playing their weekly supper match.

PICNIC SUPPER

Picnicking last evening at Vaile Lodge Shelter in Lowell park were the Misses Frances Longman, Grace Louise Crawford, Agatha Tosney, Margaret Sproul and Lois Fellows.

DEFENSE CONTRACTS

Washington—(AP)—The war department announced these contracts for Illinois firms: D. L. Marx Co., Cairo, 20,000 herringbone twill jackets, \$15,000; Williams, White & Co., Moline, hydraulic presses, \$25,400; Walter Peter (Bein & Peter), Belleville, sewer pipe for Scott Field, \$10,212; and Olympia Glove Co., Champaign, gloves, \$4,175.

DEFENSE ORDERS

Chicago—(AP)—Defense orders announced last week by the army and navy included \$6,346,419 for the Chicago area and \$1,033,349 for downstate, the Illinois Manufacturers Association announced.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Nies of Chicago spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. William Callahan.

Mrs. Helen Shickley spent today in Chicago.

Miss Alice Sheller spent the week end in Chicago Heights as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Lawless. Mrs. Lawless is a cousin of Miss Sheller.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boos, Mrs. Minnie Boos and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boos were visitors in Depeu Sunday.

Robert E. Spangler of Gray Summit, Mo., spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spangler, route 1, Franklin Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cooley of Sterling visited relatives in Dixon Sunday.

On Wednesday afternoon, junior linkswomen will be playing their weekly supper match.

Miller Read and Mrs. Mae Miller motored to Chicago Sunday and visited Bud Welch who is seriously ill at the Edgewater Beach hospital.

Charters Higgins returned Saturday morning to New York City, after transacting business in Dixon.

Paul Fenton of Peoria was a recent guest of his mother, Mrs. Irene Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Templeton have returned from Florida, and are now at 119 Galena avenue. Mr. Templeton expects soon to enter the Presbyterian hospital for observation.

Mrs. James Sterling of Chicago visited Sunday with Mrs. James Sterling and daughter, Mrs. Ethel Hawkins in Dixon.

Mrs. James M. Sterling of 312 Ottawa avenue, has recovered from an illness and is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schreiner of Chadwick were guests Sunday of Mrs. Alice Reede.

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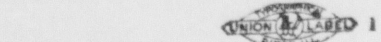
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A Thought For Today

For whoever shall commit any of these abominations, even the souls that commit them shall be cut off from among their people.—Leviticus 18:29.

There is no greater punishment of wickedness than that it is dissatisfied with itself and deeds.—Seneca.

Don't Babble

The army may be suffering shortages of certain kinds of material. It would be strange if there were no such shortages, when you consider that a year ago the country simply had no munitions industry at all. Of one thing there is no shortage—the volume of babble and gossip about such shortages.

In an unusually timely and serviceable story, Paul Harrison, who has been touring army camps, showed just how evil such talk may be. "They," say, Harrison tells, that there are no rifles to drill with, the boys have just the old World War artillery guns, there aren't enough tanks, and so forth and so forth and so forth.

Nobody ever finds out who "they" are. The stories go the rounds, added to and dressed up by each person who thoughtlessly repeats them. And finally a large number of people become convinced that the army is not adequately equipped and cannot be properly trained.

Isolated cases may be true. Certain shortages, especially of ammunition, are real enough. Much old equipment has not yet been replaced by the new, which is on the way. The specific cases of which you hear may be real enough. The danger is that from constant repetition and embroidery of these incidents, a totally wrong impression may become widespread.

In general, we believe it is true, and we base our opinion on repeated reports from many men who have gone to the camps themselves to see, that equipment is sufficient for elementary training,

and that new equipment is continually arriving in quantity.

This is not to suggest that any truth about lack of equipment or poor conditions should be suppressed. If your nephew writes you from Camp Whoosis that he's been there three weeks and hasn't got a rifle yet it may be true. But find out how many others are in the same boat, and why.

People have a right to be assured that their boys in camp are properly equipped, fed, housed, and trained. There is excellent reason to believe that these things are all being done as fast as it is humanly possible to do them.

There is a difference, of course, between neglect and inefficiency and a sheer lack of materials that haven't yet come off the production lines. The former should be exposed and remedied. The latter is to an extent unavoidable; be patient.

Above all, don't babble just for the sake of babbling. Restrain that perfectly human impulse.

Bombers and Borders

The "new order" of adjusting border disputes is being amply demonstrated in Europe. There is another demonstration going on, however, of how to adjust borders without either bombs or bombast.

It is in the Western Hemisphere, Peru has at last accepted, with some qualifications, true, but with evidence of sincerity, the offer of the United States, Argentina, and Brazil, to help settle her 110-year dispute with Ecuador over certain rich lands in the Amazon headwaters. This acrid dispute has teetered on the edge of war many times, and if it can be thus amicably settled with brains instead of bombs, one more good example will have been set. The U. S.-Canadian border, once a subject of dispute that led to the edge of war, has not yet finally been settled. Certain surveys are even today being made along the Minnesota-Canada border to determine the allegiance of more than 100 small islands.

Thus quietly the Western world way makes progress—brains instead of bombs.

Poor, Perplexed Panda

Pandora the Panda, idol of New York's Bronx zoo, died the other day, and physicians who autopsied the body declared that she died of a brain congestion indicating a neurosis.

Poor, perplexed Panda! The world is hard enough for human beings to understand. To a panda, wanting nothing but to munch bamboo shoots and sleep, it must have been too much altogether.

Pandas apparently don't thrive on pandemonium, and it's just possible that trying to keep abreast of the rumors of the Hess case gave the beast its final shove toward that neurosis. Things like Rudolf's Hess-cape from Germany don't happen in panda-land; they only happen in that madder world inhabited by human beings.

We Grow

It seems—nay, it was—only yesterday that the 1940 census was being taken. Yet the United States already has 1,200,000 more people than it had then.

That's the estimate of the Census Bureau, based on immigration and excess of births over deaths. We now number 133,000,000 people, according to this, the best guess.

Somehow that doesn't fit into the picture that has been drawn of a static people which has stopped growing, expanding, progressing. It always was a cockeyed picture.

Funerals

Suburban—

MRS. FRANK McPHERSON
(Telegraph Special Service)
Forreston, May 26 — Funeral services for Mrs. Frank McPher-son, 69, of 832 North Horseman street, Rockford, former Forreston resident, who passed away Friday at a Rockford hospital, following a lingering illness, were held today at the McAllister-Julian funeral home, with the Rev. W. J. Scheurman officiating and burial was made in the cemetery at Haldane.

Melissa Miller, daughter of James and Ann Miller was born at St. Mary's, Ontario, Canada, on June 5, 1871 and came to Illinois with her parents at the age of 5 and settled in Forreston. On June 5, 1894, she was married to Frank McPheron of Forreston. They resided in this vicinity until 16 years ago when they moved to Rockford. Mrs. McPheron was active in American Legion Auxiliary circles and helped to organize the Forreston Auxiliary and served as its president for a number of years. She was also a member of the Grace Methodist church and the Royal Neighbors of America.

Her survivors are her husband, two daughters, Mrs. Evan Deuth of Freeport, Mrs. Harry Ferdinand of Rockford; two sons, Roy of Forreston; Forrest of Rockford; two sisters, Mrs. Nettie Lee, Clear Lake, Iowa; Mrs. Dolie Butterbaugh, of Mt. Morris; three brothers, J. M. Miller of Conrad, Mont.; J. E. Miller of Clarion, Iowa; Elsa Miller of Princeton, Ill., seven grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. Three brothers and one grandchild preceded her in death.

PERSONALS

Miss Virginia Murray, executive secretary of the Travelers' Aid of New York City expects to sail on the S. S. America, June 7 to the West Indies. Miss Murray is a sister of Dr. Warren G. Murray, managing officers at the Dixon state hospital.

Charles Case of Paw Paw was in Dixon today on business. Fred Mahlhausen of Reynolds township was in Dixon today on business.

Horace Dysart of Franklin Grove transacted business in Dixon today.

Charles Buckingham of Amboy was a Dixon business visitor today.

Rex Bradshaw of Compton was a Dixon business caller this morning.

John E. Emmitt of Nelson township was a business visitor in Dixon today.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Moss and Mr. and Mrs. Carson Moss and daughter have returned to their home in Nevada, Mo., after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss.

YESTERDAY'S STARS

(By The Associated Press)
Charley Root, Cubs — Beat Paul Derringer of Cincinnati, 3-2, to score 195th victory of career.

Pete Reiser, Dodgers — His sixteenth home run with bases loaded overwhelmed Phillies 8 to 4.

Bob Feller and Jeff Heath, Indians — Feller pitched his second straight shutout and ninth victory of the year over the Browns, 6-0; Heath hit single, triple and home run.

Wally Moses, Athletics — Cracked four singles and drove in tying run to feature 7 to 3 win over Washington.

Lefty Grove, Red Sox — Did not allow an earned run in notching his 26th lifetime victory at the expense of the Yankees, 10 to 3.

Joe Kuhel, White Sox — Drove across three runs and scored once in batting his team to 7 to 3 win over Detroit.

Babe Young, Giants — His home run with one aboard climaxed three-run rally in third that the Braves never overcame.

Steve Mesner and Enos Slaughter, Cards — Mesner, subbing in at third, doubled and drove in three runs to beat Pittsburgh, 6 to 4, in first game; Slaughter batted single, double and triple in nightcap.

Gov. Green Is Honored by MacMurray College

Jacksonville, Ill., May 26—(AP)—Governor Dwight H. Green received an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws yesterday at the 91st commencement exercises of MacMurray College.

After receiving the degree from President Clarence P. McClelland of the institution, the governor told 54 young women graduates in a commencement address:

"We expect your courage to take victorious leadership in the supreme task of the present day—the task of defeating the greatest onslaught against human liberty the world has ever known."

TO USE SCORING MACHINE
Springfield, Ill., May 26—(AP)—The state civil service commission in the future will use an electric scoring machine to grade examination papers. Robert L. Hunter, president of the commission, announced today.

The machine, which cuts the time of grading papers considerably, will be used for the first time for examination of junior and senior interviewers to be given June 21, Hunter said.

George Washington twice received every vote of the electoral college.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

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Washington, May 25—The British learned in Crete the only way to stop a parachute troop attack is from above. Air supremacy is the single answer yet apparent to the new Nazi blitz cloudbursts. Consequently when the dispatch came in late last Thursday announcing the British had withdrawn their air force, all authorities here sighed and said Crete was doomed from that moment.

But for the very same reason, Britain and Egypt were conceded to be safe from this new blitz mode as long as the British can maintain their air superiority in those areas.

The Nazis may have tried the Crete parachuting venture as a test for Britain's invasion. They did everything to make the world believe it, sending the commanding General von Brauchitsch publicly to Paris and ordering out all foreign diplomats from that area. Actually the Crete proving ground alone offered no real assurance of success in the next steps which will lead the Nazis against different obstacles.

It seems incredible that a minority of a few thousand troops landed within enemy lines could accomplish a major victory. They have only small weapons, only food enough to last three or four days. You would think they'd be easily surrounded by superior defending forces. The incoming reports from Crete, however, explain how the Nazis did it and how impossible it is to stop them without control of the air.

Great hordes of Stuka dive bombers opened the attack. They bombed troop encampments and forts, serving as a demoralizing artillery preface to the blitz. Before the dispersals of the defending troops could be corrected, in the twilight before dawn the following day, came the swarms of silent glider planes. These do not need landing fields but can be set down in small open spaces at a landing speed of only 15 miles an hour. Cut loose at sea, they were able to come in against the rising sun without noise and were difficult to see.

Other parachutists concentrated on the few air fields available in Crete. Dropped from transport ships continuously by the hundreds they managed to get possession of the field, and from then on the fight was in their bag. The possession of the fields enabled them to land 2,000 men an hour, and what is more important, the stores of ammunition and food which made them secure.

Amazing co-operation was displayed in their further efforts. Each man in charge of a landing party served as a general even if he only ranked as a private. He did not have to wire back to headquarters for O. K.'s on the radio he carried; he called up Stukas to bomb out small machine gun nests of the British in hangars and other points of vantage.

Those on the ground described the descent of the parachutists as a fall of snow. They could clean it up as fast as it fell in some spots, perhaps many, but they could not keep it off an entire area about three-fourths the size of Connecticut. Reports of new landings turned them this way and that. Demoralization ensued. They did not know where to fight first. With Nazi troops being landed in their own uniforms, they did not even know who to shoot. They were far superior in numbers but not at many of the particular points where the parachutists landed.

Obviously the only way to stop this sort of business was by air attack, first on the Stuka artillery bombers, secondly on the transport planes and chutists' gliders, and thirdly, but most important, on the transports and supply ships which come later to sustain the landed parties. The force of the attack must be partly broken as it is made, and then the landed chutists who get through must be cut off from the air help which makes them secure.

The only way yet apparent to do this is to keep the air full of fast defending pursuit ships, and this the British will be able to do in Britain and possibly also in Egypt for a time.

Yet the military authorities here look forward to perhaps the most vicious fight of all time if the Nazis decide to head the English lion in his own den. Desperate dive bombing attacks to open the fray might conceivably destroy nearly everything 15 miles back from the coast. The Nazis then would no doubt attempt to establish a bridgehead landing across the channel. If their dive bombers and submarines could hold off the British fleet so that the Germans could clear a way for landing tanks, the British situation would be dangerous. The place for the British to stop the attack is here again plainly in the air.

In one day, 49 bird species were identified on Pea Island, N. C.

Deaths

Local—

WILLIAM H. EGLER

William H. Egler, 76, 923 Second street, who operated the first steamboat on Rock river, passed away at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital at 7:30 o'clock Sunday morning, death resulting from a cerebral hemorrhage which he suffered while working on his automobile in a garage at the rear of the Finkler store Thursday afternoon. Funeral services will be held at the Jones funeral home at 9:00 o'clock Wednesday morning and at St. Patrick's Catholic church at 9:30, the Rev. Fr. T. L. Walsh officiating. Burial will be in Oakwood.

Mr. Egler, a retired employee of the Illinois Northern Utilities Co., is survived by two sons, Orville and John, both of Rockford; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Hill of Dixon and Mrs. Charles Sheets of Freeport; one brother, Edward of St. Louis, Mo.; and six grandchildren.

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)

39 YEARS AGO
Col. Frank O. Lowden delivered the annual Memorial address at Sugar Grove Sunday afternoon.

Frank S. Howard of Ashley, Ill., student at Dixon college, was drowned this afternoon at The Rocks, west of the city when he attempted to swim across the river, where 70 of the College Cadets were practicing on the rifle range.

North Dixon won the tri-county track meet at Sterling yesterday, scoring a total of 64 points; Amboy, 33; Dixon, 21; Sterling, 6; Oregon, 6 and Morrison, 4.

25 YEARS AGO
Superintendent W. R. Snyder gave his farewell address before the graduating class at the Family theater last evening before a capacity gathering.

Charles Krug passed away last evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Carbaugh.

Henry McCarthy, 26, was killed this morning at the cement plant when his clothing was caught in a shafting and he was hurled to his death.

10 YEARS AGO
Mrs. Fred L. Swanlund passed away at her home 1116 Center avenue this morning.

Rev. J. A. Barnett has accepted the pastorate of the Christian church in Dixon, succeeding Rev. B. H. Cleaver, who resigned.

ALLEN ON COMMITTEE

Washington—(AP)—Rep. Leo E. Allen, Galena, Ill., was named to an executive committee of the Republican farm study committee by Chairman Hope (R-Kan). The executive group will decide in what sections of the nation the study committee will hold hearings to get the opinions and assistance of farmers in considering agricultural matters.

Aroostock county in Maine makes the claim that in a normal year it produces one out of every seven potatoes grown in the U. S.

The English lavender plant furnishes the best lavender oil in the world.

HOLD EVERYTHING



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TIMETABLE

Chicago & NorthWestern Railway Co.

Effective Sunday, April 27, 1941 at 2 A. M.

EASTWARD TRAINS

No. Train	Leave Dixon	Arrive Chicago
88 Challenger—Sunday only	5:14 A. M.	8:20 A. M.
112 City of Denver, streamliner (Will carry passenger when desired space is available)	6:16 A. M.	8:33 A. M.

No. Train	Leave Chicago	Arrive Dixon
15 Columbine—Daily	11:45 P. M.	2:23 A. M.
21 Pacific Limited—Daily	11:35 A. M.	1:37 P. M.
25 Clinton Passenger—Daily except Sunday	4:05 P. M.	6:25 P. M.
111 City of Denver, streamliner (Will carry passengers when desired space is available)	6:20 P. M.	7:52 P. M.

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11 Corn King Limited—Daily 6:25 P. M. 8:40 P. M.
87 San Francisco Challenger—daily 10:30 P. M. 12:40 A. M.
717 Los Angeles Challenger—Daily (See Note) 10:20 P. M. 12:17 A. M.
27 San Francisco Overland, Daily (See Note) 10:25 P. M. 12:30 A. M.
Note—No. 27 and 717 will stop on signal only to receive revenue sleeping car passengers for Granger and beyond.

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Church Societies

Amoma Class—Mrs. C. J. McLean of Boyd street will be hostess to the Amoma class of the Baptist Sunday school at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday.

Aid Society—Members of the Aid society of Grace Evangelical church will meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday at the church, with Mrs. Ulrich Zeund as guest speaker. Mrs. Zeund will entertain with a travel talk on her native country, Switzerland, and Mrs. Ray Herbert will furnish special music. Mrs. Norman Dietrich's division is in charge, and is inviting everyone interested to attend.

Births

GAUL—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gaul at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital May 25, a son.

HAMPA—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hampa of Nachusa at the K. S. B. hospital May 25, a daughter.

Happy Birthday

MAY 27

Mrs. Edward Schick and daughter Elsie; John B. James; Ira Rutt; Doris Flessner; Mrs. Jesse Echeberger, Jr. Harmon; Ray E. Chadwick, Ashton; LaVerna Smith, Ashton; Viola Fegley, Amboy.

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Fanfare

By DON DANIELSON

ON THE COURSE, OF COURSE

Weekend golfers picked the Plum Hollow course yesterday in spite of the missing tournament players and club-swingers from many a nearby town came over to play. A golf ball in flight might have looked down and seen the following players: Ralph and Carrie Barlow, Mrs. Henry Jensen, Ethel Cline, Kathryn Herman, Fern Cline, Gertrude Wallin, Dan Strub, Gladys Ireland, Arthur Rose, Cy and Rubie Winebrenner, Charlie Davis, Abe and Babe Martin, Wayne Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Mildred Ryan, Lucille Poole, Lois Fellows, Frances Longman, Margaret Sproul, Bob Grow, Dr. and Mrs. Legner, Mrs. Ted Legner, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Mason, Mark Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Brown and son and daughter of Princeton, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jacobson and Carolyn Weisenhutter of DeKalb. Saturday afternoon the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bush were welcomed back.

SOFTBALL MEETING TONIGHT

Preparing for the opening of the Dixon softball league here next week, the sponsors and managers of local teams will meet tonight at the Borden plant at 7:30 o'clock for final schedule arrangements.

PIGEON RACES YESTERDAY

In the unofficial returns of the pigeon races of yesterday, a bird owned by Ben Schildberg of Dixon won with an approximate speed of 1,016 yards per minute. That's an average of about 35 miles per hour. The returns are still unofficial due to the lack of information concerning the airlines of Ed Pell of Morrison. Yesterday's point of liberation was Tama, Ia., a distance of about 150 miles. The bird owned by Charles Reese of Rock Falls is expected to take second place honors when the official returns are tabulated. Yesterday's race was an event for old birds and those events for young birds will begin in August. Next Sunday the point of liberation will be Ames, Ia., a distance of about 200 miles.

IT'S EVEN NOW

The softball series between the Sterling and Dixon A. & P. teams is now deadlocked at one game each following the Sterling team's 15 to 11 victory here yesterday afternoon at the Airport diamond. A return match is scheduled for Sunday, June 15, at Sterling. The locals play Grand Detour there next Sabbath.

CAMPING MINUS TENTS

A group of Sea Scouts led by Skipper Earl Slagle, Jr., camped up along the river this weekend and bedded down in hammocks strung between the trees. The food was good, the stars bright, but the breezes were cold. One member is reported to have had quite a time getting in his hammock. Each time he got comfortably located, the deterring thing did the flip and he kissed the terra firma. A regular swing session. The hammock-campers included, besides Skipper Slagle: Elwin Bunnell, Jr., Dwight Mondlock, Bud Ives, Gail Gardner and Eddie Fry.

ROAD WORK

Paul Potts, for many seasons one of the important sports figures of Dixon, is now employed by Swift & Co., and is located for a month at Red Oak, Ia., where he may be addressed at postoffice box 215. Mrs. Potts is traveling with him.

GRAND DETOUR TEAM LOSES

The Oregon CCC camp softball team cooked the Grand Detour team, 17 to 6, in a game yesterday. Fruin and Jones composed the battery for the losers. The Grandy club has several games on tap. The Dixon A. & P. team goes there next Sunday. On June 8 there will be a doubleheader with Chana and Oregon playing at Grand Detour. Franklin Grove plays there on June 15 and the Grandy team goes to Oregon on June 22.

QUOTE AND UNQUOTE

Frank Randall, boss of Plum Hollow Golf and Country club, says he thinks the difference in the score of the intracity match yesterday with the Dixon Country club was equal to the difference in the condition of the two courses and that the Plum Hollow boys were amid "alien corn." By the time August rolls around for the next match with the Country club, the Plum Hollow boys may reverse the score.

POLO SOFTBALL LEAGUE OPENERS

Polo softball league will open its 1941 season tomorrow night at the Polo high school athletic field. In the first game the Coopers meet the Farm Bureau team and Brookville meets Tony's Ranch in the nightcap.

RIVER RIPPLES

Sunday brought more motor boats out to Rock river, and among them was Bruce Gynn's new outboard which was launched yesterday. The "Miss Illinois" passenger boat owned by Frank Villiger was piloted yesterday by Sea Scout Don Carry. Sonny Fulmer was out in his kayak and Elwin Bunnell, Jr., churned the waters in his outboard. Lloyd Lewis ripped the waters in his inboard craft. By the way, the name of Bill Thompson's bright red canoe is "Draftee."

GOLF MATCH HERE TOMORROW

The Dixon high school golfers will get another work out before the conference meet Saturday when they entertain the Oregon and Princeton clubbers here tomorrow at Plum Hollow course.

SOFTBALL CHALLENGE

The Sterling Boosters softball club issues a challenge to managers of Dixon teams to play out-of-town tilts. If interested write to Harold T. Tyne, manager, 507 West Sixth street, Sterling.

Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ

New York, May 26—(The Special News Service)—Feed-back special: Market Wise is all geared up to give Whirlaway a real tussle in the Belmont Stakes. Don Meade will be aboard. This gent isn't on our preferred list, but he doesn't fool around with cows, you know...The Reds were so glad to get out of Chicago last night they wouldn't wait for a regular train, but hired a special...They're leveling off at Bob Zupke out in Illinois and we wonder if Bob wishes he hadn't turned down that five-year offer to catch the Detroit Lions at \$10,000 per year. Verily, brethren, that's cabbage not hay—And no alumni to boot...No body in his right mind believes Joe Louis has to cart his own referee around. Just the same, nobody's feelings (except his own) would be hurt if Arthur Dono-

van is given a long vacation from future bouts.

The Sports Parade

Carl Hubbell, the old maestro, who never asked for quarter when he was in his prime, would like to see the lively ball toned down to give the young pitchers a break...The coolness between Mike Jacobs and Billy Conn's manager, Johnny Ray, is no act. Secretly, Mike would like to see Conn turn in an indifferent performance tonight against Buddy Knox so Baer can be substituted June 18 for Billy against Louis...Benny McCoy, who was to have reported tomorrow to Uncle Sam, appeared his draft board's ruling and is good for a couple more months with the A's.

Point-With-Pride-Dept.

On May 14 this corner tipped: "If Buddy Baer feels like it, he can give Joe Louis the toughest time the champ has had since the 'Bum-of-the-Month' club was organized."



COLUMBUS
Columbus found this continent.
Going West in carvels.
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Dixon Country Club Trims Plum Hollow in Golf Match

LOCAL GOLF FEUD BEGINS; RETURN MATCH IN AUGUST

Ken Detweiler and Em Rorer Turn in Low Cards of Day

Martins and McCoy's, those rowdy mountain boys, never conducted a more energetic feud than the one started here yesterday in the first intra-city golf match of the season when the Dixon Country club members won the strutting rights at least until mid-August when they meet the Plum Hollow foe again.

The country clubbers yesterday swung out into the 1941 season with a 69 to 57 victory over their neighbors who hide out during the rest of the season in the Plum Hollow hills.

Highlights of yesterday's big affair were the cards turned in by the leaders of the two clubs. Ken Detweiler of the Country club won his match and 2½ points with a 72 score against Em Rorer of Plum Hollow. The latter had the low card for his mates with a 76 which was good for half a point. Each player came in with 36 on the first nine, but Detweiler counted another 36 to Em's 40 on the homestretch. Each player scored a birdie on Number Two (211 yards) and each drove hole-high and sunk his putt.

Outstanding Feat

Among the outstanding individual feats was Ken Lairs' eagle on Number Three, followed by a birdie on Number Four and a par on the next hole. Ken ended up with a gross 84 and won two points in his match with Furlong.

One of the most interesting matches was the one which pitted the two best players from the Dixon high school team together. Bill Witzleb, playing for the country club counted at 77 to win 2½ points from Feldkirchner who totaled 86. Each had a 40 on the first nine.

Frank Randall of Plum Hollow sent over more players that the club was able to match and 18 had to be sent back to the home course without matches.

Tournament Conductor

Ralph Stonehouse, pro of the host club, acted as tournament manager and when the two clubs meet again in August it will be at the Plum Hollow course. In the series between the two clubs over a two-year period the Plum Hollow gang has now won 2 and the Country club one.

In the blind bogey event yesterday Harold Rorer of the visitors hit it on the nose with a 73.

Individual match scores are as follows:

	In	Out	Tot.	Pts
Axline (PH)	39	41	80	2½
L. R. Rorer (CC)	41	41	82	½
H. Rorer (PH)	47	42	89	0
F. Rorer (CC)	42	37	79	3
K. Detweiler (CC)	36	36	72	2½
E. Rorer (PH)	36	40	76	½
G. Joyce (CC)	41	40	81	1½
Reis (PH)	41	40	81	1½
F. Smith (CC)	43	40	83	3
E. Pelton, (PH)	44	46	90	0
D. Senneff (CC)	46	47	93	0
Larry Poole (PH)	42	46	88	3
D. L. Barry (CC)	51	43	94	2
K. Reynolds (PH)	47	49	96	1
L. L. Brink (CC)	49	47	96	½
J. Marshall (PH)	46	45	91	2½
R. Wilbur (CC)	41	41	82	0
O. Witzleb (PH)	40	40	80	3
B. Witzleb (CC)	40	37	77	2½
Feldkirchner (PH)	40	46	86	½
Kingsley (CC)	54	51	105	0
B. Meek (PH)	46	45	91	3
Taylor (CC)	47	51	98	1½
C. Cramer (PH)	51	48	99	1½
Welty (CC)	47	49	96	3
C. Strub (PH)	48	53	101	0
Wagner (CC)	40	43	83	3
Minnihan (PH)	48	46	94	0
Chytraus (CC)	49	50	99	1
E. Myers (PH)	47	44	91	2
Graff (CC)	47	47	94	2½
Swan (PH)	51	45	96	½
Ziegler (CC)	43	42	85	3
Scott (PH)	52	52	104	0
Dominetta (CC)	49	40	89	2
Brown (PH)	47	44	91	1
C. Burke (CC)	43	45	88	2
A. Martin (PH)	50	45	95	1
Dr. Lazier (CC)	44	43	87	½
Dean Hey (PH)	43	42	85	2½
Barrowman (CC)	43	41	84	3

BYRON WINS ROUTE 72 TRACK TITLE

TABLE OF POINTS

Byron	53½
Forreston	51½
Stillman Valley	42
Franklin Grove	25½
Leaf River	17
Monroe Center	1½

Although Forreston high school's trackmen won six of the 13 events in the Route 72 conference meet at Rochelle Saturday and tied for a seventh, the Byron squad came in with enough seconds and thirds to win the annual event with a total of 53½ points, just two more than the second place Forreston boys could collect.

The Byron champions scored first in the pole vault and century and shared a third with Forreston in the high jump.

In third place was Stillman Valley with 42 points. Franklin Grove was fourth with 25½. Leaf River fifth with 17 and Monroe Center trailed with 1½.

Two New Records

The annual track and field meet saw two new conference records. Each was smashed by Lloyd Bain of Stillman Valley who won the mile in 4:51.2 and half mile in 2:13.3. In the mile event he was pitted against his brother, Myle, who finished in second place.

Butt of Forreston's second place team was high point-getter with 14½ points as he scored first in the 220-yard run, the low hurdles and shared the victory in the high jump. Gambrel of Byron was second with 13½ points with first in the pole vault, second in the broad jump and shared in the high jump.

Summaries:

100-yard dash—Won by Johnson (B), Lee (FG) second, Unangst (F) third, Gallup (LF) fourth, Alberts (F) fifth. Time—11.2.

Mile run—Won by L. Bain (SV), M. Bain (SV) second, Barwinkel (LR) third, Shaw (SV) fourth, Dixon (F) fifth. Time—5:51.2.

NEW RECORD.

200-yard low hurdles—Won by Butt (F), Macklin (SV) second, Straley (B) third, Drucker (FG) fourth, Hiller (FG) fifth. Time—25.5.

440-yard run—Won by Gallup (LR), Macklin (SV) second, Strang (SV) third, Starley (B) fourth, Brockmeier (F) fifth. Time—58.

440-yard relay—Won by Forreston, Franklin Grove second, Byron third, Stillman Valley fifth. Time—49.3.

880-yard run—Won by L. Bain (SV), Blake (LR) second, Hiller (FG) third, Shaw (SV) fourth, Barwinkel (LR) fifth. Time 2:13.3.

NEW RECORD.

220-yard dash—Won by Butt (F), Kintigh (B) second, Johnson (B) third, Straley (B) fourth, Gallup (LR) fifth. Time—25.1.

880-yard relay—Won by Forreston, Byron second, Stillman Valley third. Time—1:41.5.

Shot put—Won by Maronde (F), Gibbs (B) second, Alberts (F) third, Norem (SV) fourth, Earlenbaugh (F) fifth. Distance—41 feet 10½ inches.

High jump—Won by Gambrel (B) and Butt (F) in tie for first, Times (B) third, Boomerang (MC) and Heckman (FG) tied for fourth and fifth. Height—5 feet 6 inches.

Broad jump—Won by Duitman (F), Gambrel (B) second, Maronde (FG) third, Brockmeier (F) fourth, Kintigh (B) fifth. Distance—19 feet 1 inch.

Pole vault—Won by Gambrel (B), Johnson (B) second, Garnhart (SV) third, Heckman (FG) fourth, Hartle (LR) and Baker (LR) tied for fifth. Height—9 feet 6 inches.

Discus—Won by Albert (F), Earlenbaugh (F) second, Norem (SV) third, Himes (B) fourth, Myers (F) fifth. Distance—115 feet 3 inches.

L. B. Miller (PH) 51 45 99 0

L. Gerdes (CC) 46 42 88 1

Joe Miller (PH) 44 45 89 2

Calder (CC) 51 49 100 1

C. Davis, (PH) 47 49 96 2

L. J. Miller (CC) 58 52 110 1

D. Strub (PH) 51 56 107 2

Keller (CC) 41 41 82 1½

Carlson (PH) 41 41 82 1½

Green (CC) 41 41 82 3

Devore (PH) 44 43 87 0

Funkhouser (CC) 45 50 95 3

Bush (PH) 47 55 102 0

Ruckman (CC) 48 52 100 2

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THANKS

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ROCKETS SUCCESSFULLY DEFEND CROWN IN CONFERENCE TRACK MEET; THREE RECORDS BROKEN

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Mistaken spring rumors had it that Rock Falls, due to the fact that its athletic field was torn up with construction work, might not have a track team this year, but if any trace of that false report remained by last Saturday, it was destroyed before the day was ended as the Rockets won the Rock River conference track and field meet at Polo. It was the second straight title for the Rockets who successfully defended their championship of 1940.

In winning the meet the champs collected firsts in four of the 13 events and second in three. Oregon also collected four firsts, with Polo and Rochelle each getting two and Mt. Morris one.

New Records

Three new records were established and two were equalled in the day's meet. Wilson of Polo set a new mark for the 880-yard run when he was clocked in 2:07.5 to better the mark set in 1938 when Voss of Morrison was clocked at 2:10.5.

Waters, also of Polo, set a new mark in the high jump with a leap of 5 feet 9 inches which is two inches better than the height set by Griffith of Amboy in 1939. In the half mile relay the Oregon team pulled out in front to a record time of 1:38.7 to erase the time of the 1939 Oregon quartet which was set at 1:38.9.

In the high hurdles Ballard of Mt. Morris stepped off the distance in 16.1 to equal the record set by Covill of Amboy in 1937.

Equals Record

Ferguson of Oregon romped the 100-yard dash to equal the record of 10.2 shared by Crowell of Oregon (1939) and Zellars of Mt. Morris (1932).

Amboy won the freshman relay Saturday in an extra event for which no points were given. As the records now stand Morrison now holds three and shares in a tie for three others. Oregon has two and shares in one tie. Polo has two, Amboy one and two ties and Rock Falls and Morrison each one.

High Point Man

High point man in Saturday's meet was Terry of Polo who won second in the high jump and took third in the shot put, discus, and broad jump for a total of nine points. Thurston of Oregon counted

DIXON LEGION TEAM DEFEATS AMBOY SUNDAY

A six-inning practice game here at Reynolds field yesterday morning gave the Dixon Junior American Legion team an 8 to 3 victory over an Amboy club as the locals used a variety of pitchers to test their talents.

McGraham hurled two innings allowing two hits, one run and striking out three. He walked three. Williams pitched two frames and was rapped for one hit as he struck out two and walked one. Wiener was on the mound for one inning and gave off one hit and no runs. Willard pitched the last inning and gave up one hit which, combined with one error and a hit batsman, allowed two runs to score.

Mason pitched all the way for Amboy giving eight hits, one a home run by Alexander. He walked three and struck out five.

The Dixon team looked good everywhere except on the bases. Practice will be held at 5 o'clock tomorrow night.

Box score:

Dixon Legion				
ab	r	h	e	
J. Sloan, rf	3	0	0	0
C. Shanks, c	3	1	1	1
K. Kelly, 1b	3	2	0	0
R. Alexander, 3b	3	2	2	0
B. Egler, ss	3	1	2	2
D. Prev, 2b	3	1	1	0
H. Willard, cf	3	1	1	0
D. Sloan, lf	3	0	1	0
W. Williams, p	3	0	1	0
G. McGraham, p	0	0	0	0
Wiener, r	0	0	0	0
Total	27	8	8	3

Amboy (3)				
ab	r	h	e	
Parker, rf	0	0	0	0
Van Atta, cf	0	0	0	0
E. McGrath, 2b	4	0	0	0
Mason, p	3	0	2	0
Fortney, 1b	3	0	0	0
J. McGrath, ss	3	1	1	0
Jones, 2b	0	0	0	0
Wilson, 3b	3	0	1	1
Clayton, lf	0	0	0	0
Scott, lf	2	0	0	1
Drew, cf	3	1	1	0
Redd, cf	3	0	1	0
Jack McGrath	1	1	0	0
Total	29	3	4	2

Score by Innings
Amboy..... 010 002-3
Dixon..... 400 004-8

Although the Philippines are situated in the middle of one of the best fishing grounds in the world, canned fish is a major import.

TENNIS CLUB WINS MATCH AT FREEPORT

Beier's Tennis club of Dixon, a member of the southern division of the Rock River Valley league, defeated Freeport there Sunday, 5 to 4, in a practice game with the northerners.

Minus the services of such ace players as Dick Joslyn and Harold Peterson, the locals rapped out a close triumph by winning three singles matches and two doubles.

In the singles Ward Smith of Dixon lost to Allen of Freeport as the latter counted sets of 6-1 and 7-5.

George Covert of the Dixon club

April Jobs Show Increase of 67% Over Last Year

Jobs filled by the Illinois State Employment Service during April showed an increase of approximately 67 per cent over the number filled in April of 1940. State Director of Labor Martin P. Durkin said today.

A total of 23,962 jobs was filled by the state employment service in April of this year, as compared with 14,298 in April 1940. The figure for last month also represents an increase of approximately 21 per cent over the 19,733 jobs filled in March, 1941.

"General employment is on the increase," said Director Durkin. "While the greatest percentage of increase is in the defense industries, employment in non-defense industries has been stimulated as well. We are finding a greater demand for all types of workers, from the unskilled to the most highly trained."

Skilled Men Wanted
"Skilled workers, especially in the metal trades, are in demand. Machinists, tool and die makers, lathe operators, tool designers and all types of skilled workers in the airplane industry, the shipbuilding industry and the machine shop and machine manufacturing industry are urgently needed."

Persons who have ever worked at any skilled trade or profession at once with the nearest office of the Illinois State Employment Service, Director Durkin said.

Training Courses Offered
"Men who used to work at skilled trades but who have been doing some other kind of work for the last several years, sometimes feel that it is useless to apply for work in their old crafts," said Durkin. "Actually, a few weeks in a free training class would enable many of them to 'brush up' their skills. They can be ready for a job in much less time than younger men who have to be trained from the ground up."

Training courses and "refresher" courses are being offered in many parts of the state by the United States Office of Education in cooperation with the local board of education. In most cases, the selection of persons to attend these classes is made by the Illinois State Employment Service on the basis of previous experience or training.

Dixon Library

NEW BOOKS
Literary History of the American Revolution—Tyler.
Every essential controversy of the time has been adequately treated, and a very rare class of books has been most interestingly discussed. The words of the great men of the Revolution have been so treated that, in reading the book, one gains a clearer perception of the causes and growth of the Revolution, than is to be obtained in many of the histories devoted to the recording of events.

Vanguards of the Frontier—Dick.
A companion volume to the author's "The Soldier on the Frontier," preceding that work in point of time covered. The earlier work dealt with the settlers; this deals with those who traveled the western plains before the settlers came. For traders, mountain men, Indian agents, missionaries, and traders. A superior piece of work, ably digested from original sources and full of good vernacular detail.

Arctic and Old Lace—Kesselring.
My Sister Ellen—Field.
Two new plays.

New Westerns—
Mad O'Hara of Wild River—Gregory.
Sage Hat—Coolidge.

Gunman's Gold—Brand.
Arizona Jim—Seltzer.
Tenderfoot Kid—Eld.

Valley of Thunder—Beach.
Gray Sage—Hilton.
Savage Hill—Bower.

Mad Gun Mesa—Hilton.
Love Stories—
Challenge to Happiness—Greig.
Bury the Past—Greig.

Anne Minton's Life—Bring.
Strange Victory—Mouney.
Hawk in the Wind—Miller.
Where Three Roads Meet—Dell.
Truth to Tell—Rosman.

Smoldering Fire—Stevenson.
The Gold Rushes—Morrell.
The colorful story of gold rushes to Alaska, California, Australia, Siberia and Brazil.

It's Fun to Build Things—Price.
How to build shelving, window seats, cupboards, closet fittings, etc. without an elaborate kit of tools.

Your Mexican Holiday—Brenner.
Compiled with the active cooperation of the Mexican authorities and bureaus, this extremely popular book has now been revised. It is only up-to-the-minute guide to Mexico.

Wisconsin—
The newest book in the American Guide Series.

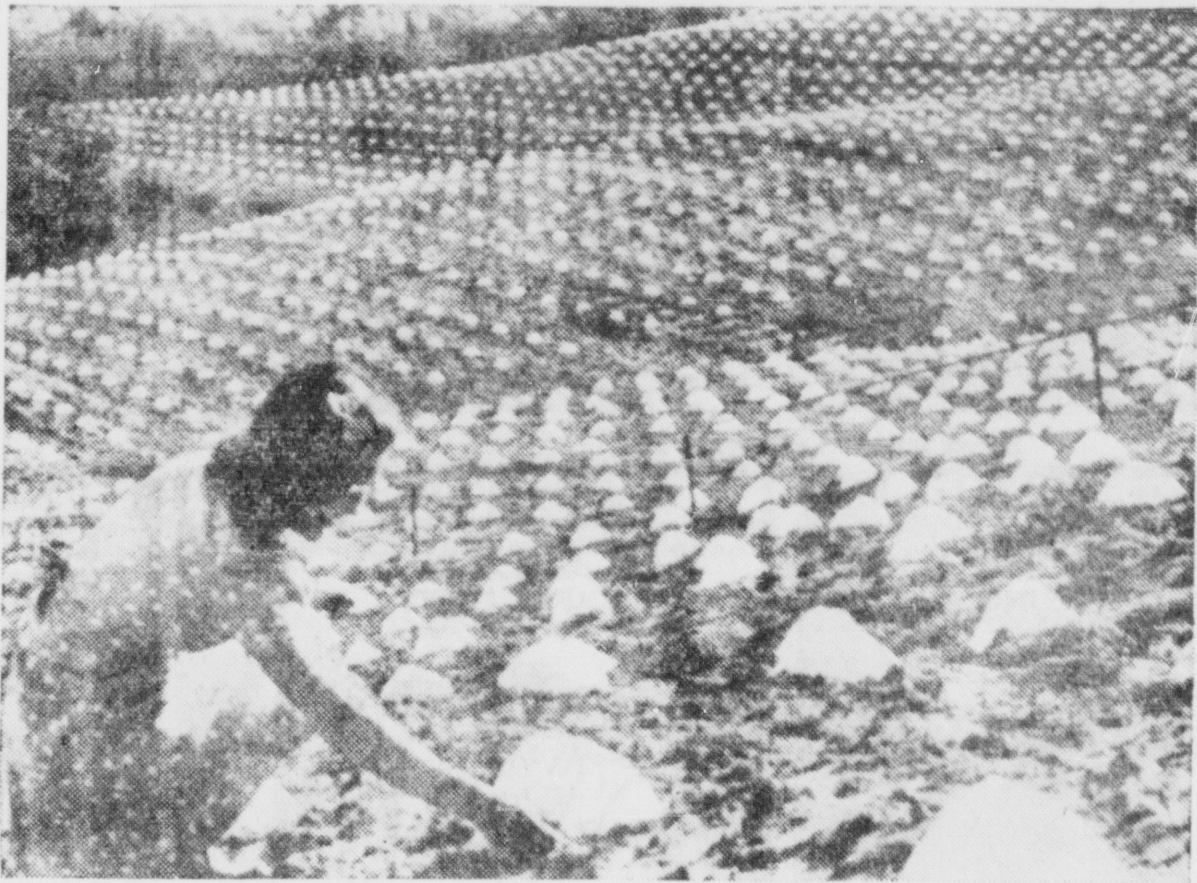
Living Treasure—Sanderson.
The adventures take place in Jamaica and Yucatan. Sanderson's sympathy toward animals is as rich as his eye for detail is acute, and the startling and sometimes ludicrous incidents that befall him and his wife, walking a slippery log over a yawning crocodile, chasing giant crabs through the jungle—help to make the story fascinating. By the author of "Animal Treasure".

Score for the Modern Dance Band—Lapham.
Technique, the rules to be observed how to blend instruments, etc. Abundant musical examples are included.

The Song Sisters—Hahn.
The lives of three Chinese girls—educated in America—whose story is the story of modern China: one is Madame Sun Yat Sen, wife of the father of the Chinese Revolution; one is Madame King, wife of China's Morgan; the other, Madame Chiang Kai-shek, wife of the Generalissimo.

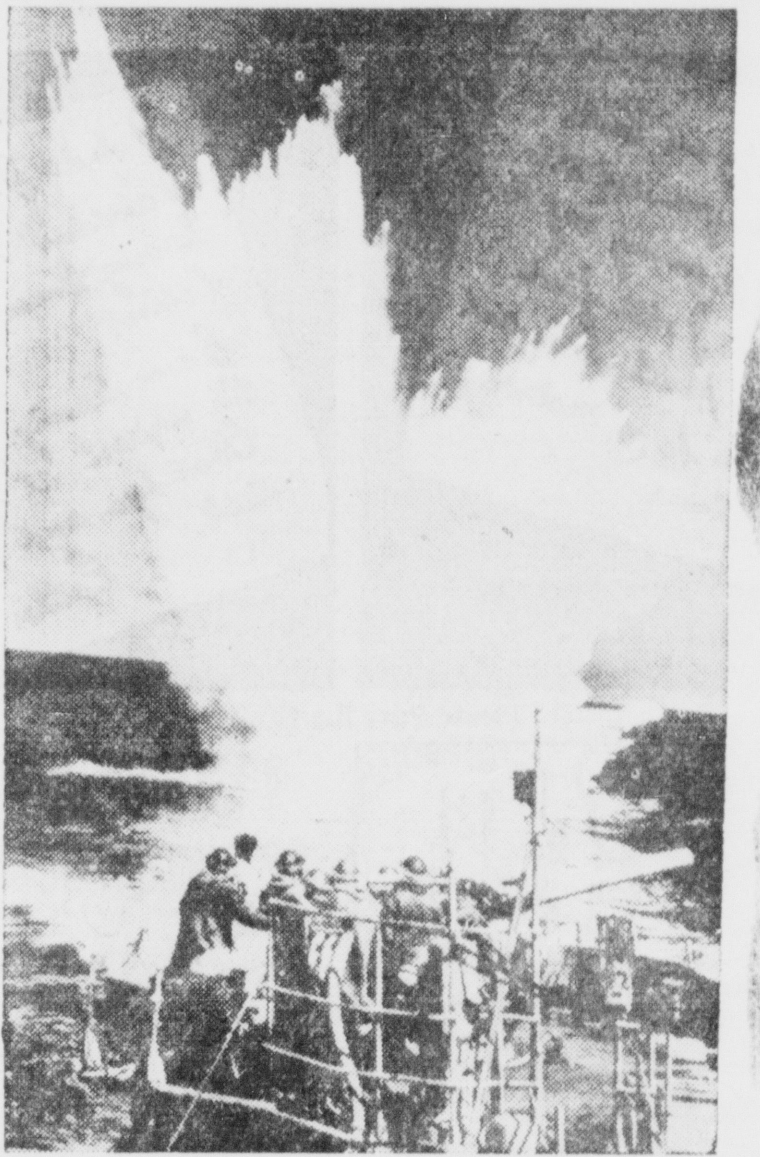
Camps and Cottages—White.
Plans for cottages with one, two, or three rooms. The directions cover every aspect of construction, but there are chapters telling how to work with a builder

Melons Don Hats to Avoid Rays of Sun



On 80th day of upper New York state drought, Pauline Warner, farm miss, helps place paper "hats" over 5,000 melon plants near Albany, N. Y., to protect them from parching rays of sun. Severe lack of rain threatens many eastern crops. (NEA Telephoto.)

Former U.S. Destroyer in Action



One of U. S. over age destroyers, now in Atlantic patrol service with British navy, fires depth bomb at lurking submarine menacing convoy that destroyer is guarding. (NEA Telephoto.)

Pace-Setting Cardinals Open New Series Against the Chicago Cubs

By GAYLE TALBOT

Associated Press Sports Writer

The St. Louis Cards, setting a

breathless pace in the National

League, open a new series against

the Chicago Cubs today with a

patched-up infield, the result of an

injury to their sensational rookie

second baseman, Frank Crespi.

Crespi suffered a fractured finger

yesterday as the flying leaders

were sweeping a doubleheader with

the Pittsburgh Pirates by scores

of 6 to 4 and 4 to 3, and probably

will be out for a fortnight.

This will supply the test of

whether the Cards are sufficiently

strong in replacements to shake

off an occasional casualty and go

right on blowing down the opposition.

If Crespi's absence fails to

slow Billy Southworth's boys, then

Brooklyn might as well begin

pointing for '42.

The injury forces Southworth to

shift Jimmy Brown from third to

second, a position at which he does

not excel, and to install Steve

Mesner at third. In his first time

at bat yesterday Mesner sniped a

double with the bases loaded to

win the opening game, but he

failed to hit in our attempts in

the nightcap and committed an

error. However, with Enos Slaughter

and Johnny Mize rattling the

fences day after day, Mesner's

bating will not be of supreme importance.

Fifth Straight Win

The Cleveland Indians, threat-

ening to make a runaway of the

American League race, went bow-

linging merrily along to their fifth

straight victory as 20,000 Sunday

fanned 13 and didn't allow a hit

until the fifth.

Jeff Heath, the Indian's barrel-

legged outfielder, became the first

batter ever to smash a ball into

the upper deck of Cleveland's mu-

nicipal stadium. He also hit a tri-

ple and a single.

Old Lefty Grove inched nearer

his lifetime goal of 300 victories

as he notched No. 296 at the ex-

panse of the New York Yankees,

10 to 3. The great showpaw gave

up only seven hits.

The Chicago White Sox, after

having gone scoreless for 26

straight innings, burst loose with

a seven-run rally in the seventh

frame at Detroit to knock Hal

Newhouse from the hill and win

7 to 3. Thornton Lee went the

route for the Sox.

Athletics Sweep Series

The Athletics swept their three-

game series with Washington by

jumping on the eminent knuck-

baller, Dutch Leonard, for five

runners in the eighth. The score

was 7 to 3.

With Joe Medwick dropped

down to seventh place in the

battling order, the Brooklynms

made the most of five hits to beat

the Phillies, 8 to 4. Young Pete

Reiser's sixth-inning homerun with

the bases filled with the blow that

ruined Ike Pearson.

Charley Root bested Paul

Deringer in a tense duel as the

Chicago Cubs nosed out Cincinnati,

3 to 2. In the ninth, Billy Nichol-

son's double, followed by a sac-

rifice and Charley George's single,

broke it up. Ernie Lombardi's

Dewey Checks Recreation Needs of Army and Navy



Thomas E. Dewey (center), New York district attorney and chairman of United Service Organization, chats with soldiers at Fort Sheridan, Ill., as he visited the camp during national tour to form recreational program for soldiers and sailors. (NEA Telephoto.)

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Mother's Club

The Mother's Club will meet

this evening at the home of Mrs.

Donald Hiteman. Mrs. Harry

Akins will be the assistant host-

ess, and Mrs. John I. Masterson

will be the topic leader.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fager

have announced the engagement

and approaching marriage of their

daughter, Marie Lucille, to Melvin

E. Schoonhoven, son of Mr. and

Mrs. Ed Schoonhoven. The wed-

ding is planned for June 11.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of

Forreston high school and is now

employed at the Burgess Battery

factory at Freeport. Mr. Schoon-

hoven is employed at the Viet-

meier Auto Sales at Forreston.

Mission Feast

Members of the Forreston Re-

formed church will celebrate their

annual Mission feast on Wednes-

day, when the entire day will be

set aside for the cause of missions.

There will be meetings in the

forenoon, afternoon and evening.

The Rev. H. Beltman of Kalama-

zoo, Mich., and the Rev. H. Veen-

schoten, of Amboy, China, will be

the principal speakers.

Rev. Mr. Beltman has served as

missionary in China for a number

of years, and at present is serving

as field secretary of the board of

domestic missions of the Re-

formed church in America.

Rev. Mr. Veenochoten, has been

a missionary in China for more

than 20 years and is now home

on a furlough. He is in a position

to inform us of the latest develop-

ments concerning the crisis in

China, and will tell of the awaken-

ing in interior China, brought

about by persecution and war.

Offerings will be received

throughout the day for the cause

of missions, and a cordial invita-

tion is extended to all.

Senior Class Play

Members of the Senior Class of

F. C. H. S. will present a three-

act comedy, Tuesday evening at 8

o'clock, in the school gymnasium.

The title of the play is "Your Face

Is Familiar."

The cast of characters is as

follows: Grace Girard, more or

less settled down—Ethel Long.

Dr. Lewis Girard, her husband—

Glen Mase, Jr.

Mrs. Girard, her mother-in-law—

Lucille Wiebena.

Aunt Sarah, her aunt—Frances

Gene Long.

Dr. Matthew Ellis, a former fi-

ance—Donald Buttel.

Dr. Roger Morgan, another for-

mer fiace—Ellsworth Lewis.

Local Golf

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M. Smith (PH), 51 50 101 1

Shauls (CC) ... 52 51 103 3

Yount (PH) ... 59 55 114 0

H.E. Stuart (CC) 46 46 92 1/2

F.Hofmann (PH) 45 45 91 2 1/2

Myers (CC) ... 57 52 109 0

Palmer (PH) ... 51 49 100 3

Plowman (CC), 42 44 86 3

Evans (PH) ... 52 49 101 0

Furlong (CC) ... 45 44 89 1

Laird (PH) ... 40 44 84 2

Dalley (CC) ... 54 50 104 0

Reis (PH) ... 43 42 85 3

Houser (CC) ... 41 43 84 2 1/2

Stewart (PH) ... 44 43 87 1/2

Marchesi (CC), 41 47 88 2

James (PH) ... 47 47 94 1

Torrens (CC) ... 46 46 92 1/2

B. Martin (PH) 46 43 89 2 1/2

Graunt (CC) ... 49 46 95 3 1/2

Truitt (PH) ... 50 46 96 3 1/2

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Bovey (CC) ... 55 45 101 1/2

J. Buchanan (PH) ... 49 46 95 2 1/2

BILLY CONN'S TITLE SHOT

DEPENDS ON SHOWING

Pittsburgh, May 26—(AP)—

Threatened with the "sudden

death" of his heavyweight title

drama unless he wins decisively,

Billy Conn may turn slugger to-

night as he seeks to smash down

Buddy Knox, unsung Dayton, O.,

boxer in a final 15-round pre-U.S.

"test" before a hometown crowd.

This strange transition from

Master boxer into fistic dynamite

became vitally necessary for Conn

through an ultimatum by Mike Ja-

cobs which virtually ordered Billy

to win by a knockout or sacrifice

his rights to a title crack at

Champion Joe Louis next month in

New York.

Since Billy is the kind of a guy

who would try to belt Knox over

the right field stands at Forbes

Field, scene of the fight, rather

than be deprived of his title

chance, the fans expect a lot of

canonading.

Jacobs, promoter of the Conn-

Louis fight scheduled for June 18,

issued his ultimatum in the midst

of the noisy aftermath which fol-

lowed Louis' controversial victory

over Buddy Baer at Washington

Friday.

Baer's surprising showing touch-

ed off loud demands to replace

Conn with Baer in the June shot

at Louis. Jacobs indicated he

INSECT DESTROYER

HORIZONTAL

1 Scandalous bird pictured here (pl.).

10 Since.

11 Loud.

12 Mistake.

14 Being.

16 Eggs.

18 Roof finial.

20 Court (abbr.).

22 To strew abroad.

24 Bone.

25 Intention.

27 Vituperative speeches.

30 To fish.

33 Meat.

35 Representation of a totemic being.

36 Part of a boat.

37 Tapestry.

39 Onager.

40 To glaze.

41 To start.

43 Air toys.

45 Ell.

47 Unit of work.

49 Bashful.

50 Right (abbr.).

Answer to Previous Puzzle

DAVIS

SALES

CHARTERS

VERTICAL

2 Paddle.

3 Monster.

4 Destines.

5 Half an em.

6 Mine shaft huts.

7 Relatives.

8 Actual being.

9 Railway (abbr.).

12 It —s holes.

13 Tumultuous disturbance.

15 To fail to hit.

17 To ridicule.

19 Epic.

21 Layer of a series.

23 Oily substances.

26 Female horse.

28 To bellow.

29 Writing table.

30 Platform.

31 To co-operate.

32 Folds.

34 Narrow way.

36 Weaver's reed.

38 War.

40 Land away.

42 Breakfast food.

44 Frozen dessert.

46 Narrow strip of wood.

48 Flightless bird.

50 Roll of film.

52 To perish.

54 Lock projection.

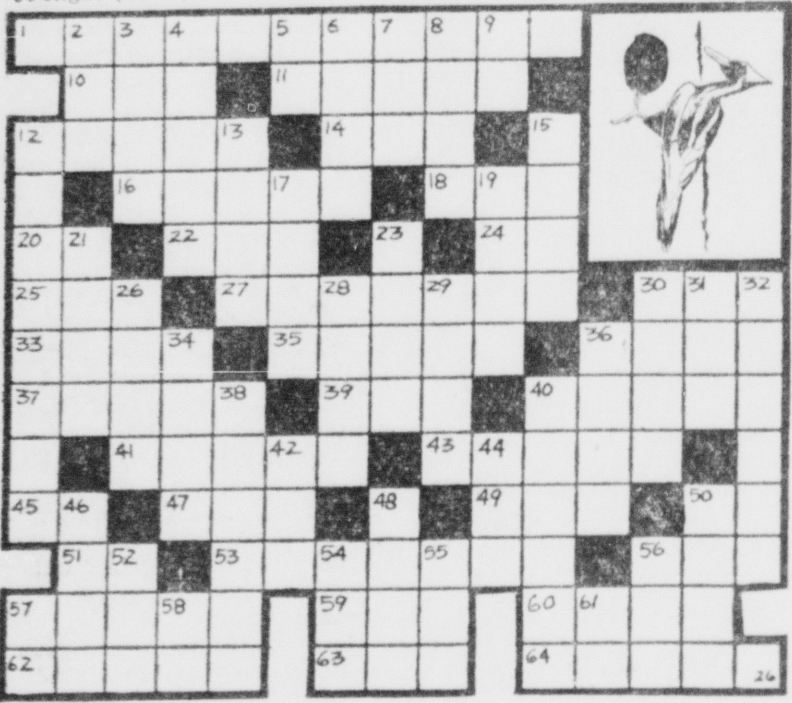
55 Line.

56 Cuckoo.

57 Street (abbr.).

58 France (abbr.).

61 Railroad (abbr.).



By GALBRAITH



"They're pretty, my dear—but wasn't it just the other week that we unbraided your pigtails?"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

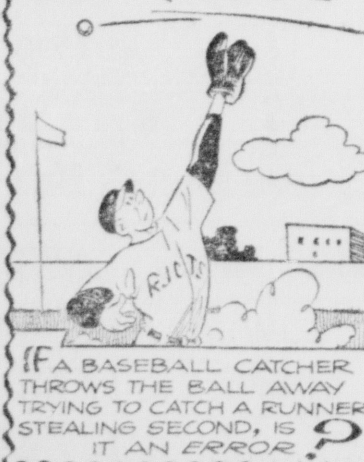
By William Ferguson

SINGING

WAS A NECESSARY PART OF THE COWBOY'S DUTIES!

The cattle herds rested better at night when they knew that a RIDER was with them, and his SINGING kept them informed as to his whereabouts.

KITZNER



IN ENGLAND, MANY AUTOMOBILES ARE EQUIPPED WITH RUBBER FENDERS.

IF A BASEBALL CATCHER THROWS THE BALL AWAY TRYING TO CATCH A RUNNER STEALING SECOND, IS IT AN ERROR?

ANSWER: Not unless the runner takes third on the wild throw. Then it's an error on the catcher.

NEXT: Where is the city of Flin Flon?

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

THAT'S THE LAST STRAW — THE LAST CONFOUNDED STRAW —



L.F. ABNER

I HAVE STOOD MOTIONLESS OUTSIDE THIS DOOR FOR FIFTEEN MINUTES. BUT, I MUST HESITATE NO LONGER! — I MUST WITHDRAW THE LAST REMAINING QUART OF 'TYPE X' FROM THE BOY!!



ABBIE and SLATS



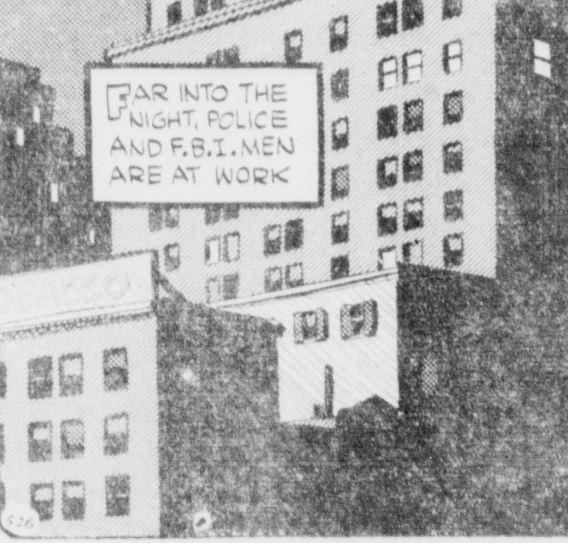
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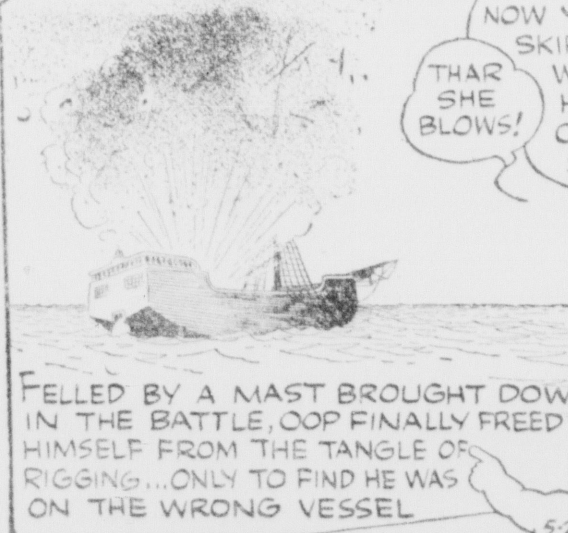
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



WASH TUBBS



ALLEY OOP



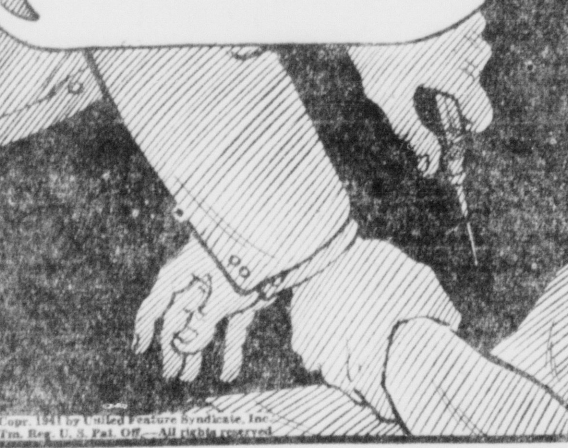
Worse and Worse

WHY, DARLING... WHAT'S WRONG?

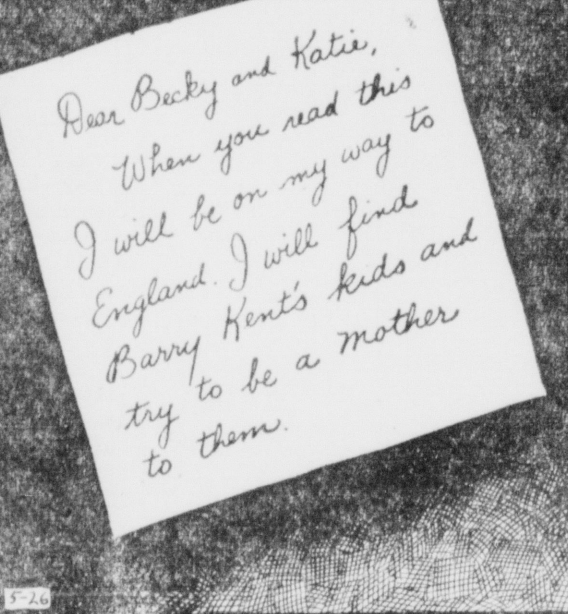


Throw Away the Carcass!!

AT LEAST — BY WORKING IN THIS DARKNESS — I SPARE MYSELF THE PAIN OF SEEING HIS FACE AS DEATH COMES!!



Love Finds A Way



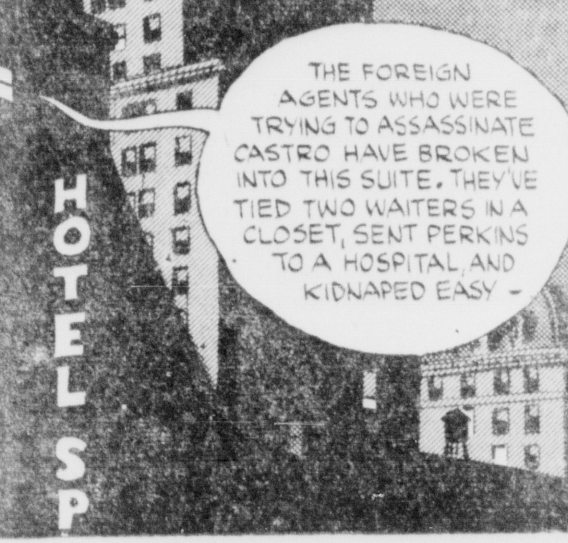
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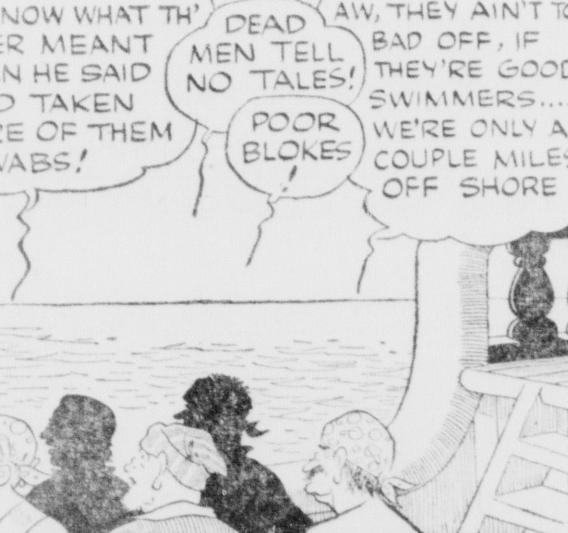
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Speak Up, Men



An Eye for a Girl

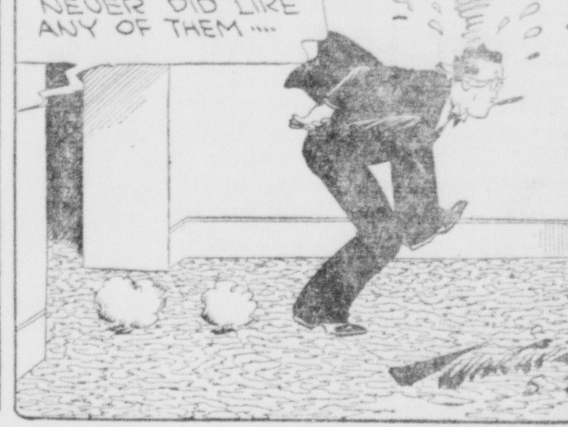


By EDGAR MARTIN

OH, BUT YOU'RE MISTAKEN, LAMB! HE ISN'T TAKING ME OUT AT ALL! NO, HE'S INVITED THE WHOLE BUNCH HERE FOR DINNER!



...AND, PET... YOU'D BETTER PLAN ON EATING OUT SOMEWHERE! THERE WILL BE SO MANY HERE... AND YOU NEVER DID LIKE ANY OF THEM...

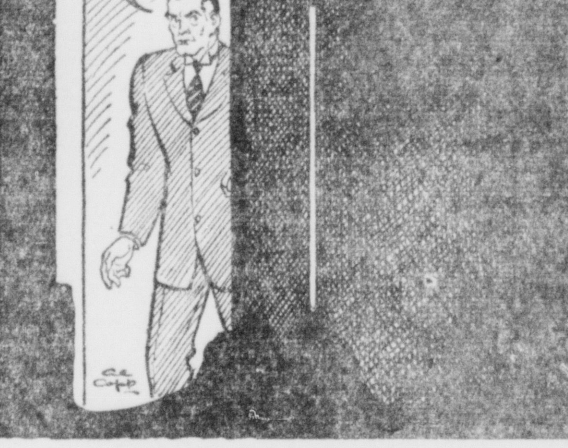


By AL CAPP

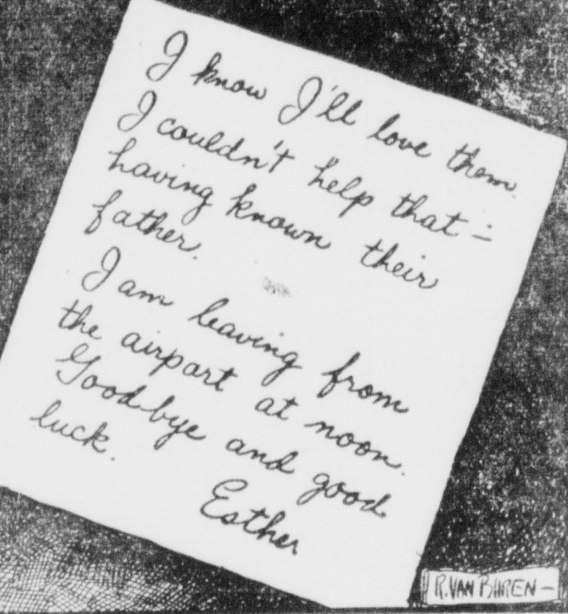
ONE HOUR LATER — SUCCESS!! MY EXPERIMENT IS A SUCCESS!!



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By RAEURN VAN BUREN



By FRED HARMON



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6:00 I Love a Mystery—WLS
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6:00 Ray Bloch's Orch.—WMAQ
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WMAQ
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WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Waring
Reporter
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Reuben Johnson of Walnut passed away Saturday evening in the Princeton hospital where he had been a patient for several weeks, with an illness of some year's duration. Mr. Johnson was born in Walnut, March 18, 1881, and passed all of his life in Walnut, where his parents were early settlers. He never married, and leaves one brother, Ulysses of Moline, three sisters, Mrs. William Costello of West Chicago, Mrs. Nellie Wiley of Manlius and Mrs. Frank Dobson of Burlington, Ia., several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Ross funeral home in Walnut, with interment in the Walnut cemetery.

On Friday evening the patrons of the Chapman school enjoyed an operetta, "Play Day in Happy Holland." The cast: Dutch school boys, Piet and Jan, Leo Peterson and Russell Johnson; Dutch school girls, Min, Mathilda, Wilhemina and Vicky, Gloria Ann Johnson, Gloria June Schoff, Carolyn Johnson and Lois Ganschow; the old gardener, Meinheer Klaas, Lee Ganschow; Burger meester, Grump growl, Lloyd Johnson; the fisherman, Fran, Leslie Schoff; the shopkeeper, Dene Ganschow; the cheeseman, La Verne Johnson. The following songs were given prior to the operetta, "Sundown," Gloria Ann Johnson, Lee Ganschow, and LaVerne Johnson; "All Through the Night," Gloria Johnson and Lloyd Johnson; "A Hunting We Will Go," Leo Peterson; "Give a Man a Horse He Can Ride," Russell Johnson. Several violin numbers were given by Mrs. Stephen Keleher with the piano accompaniment being played by James Edward Fay. Credit for the presentation is owing to the music instructor, Mr. Fay and the teacher, Miss Edith Fordham.

The Chapman school closed with a basket picnic on Sunday attended by a large crowd of patrons. Both Miss Fordham and Mr. Fay have been rehired for another year.

The proposition to build a farm mechanics building at the Walnut community high school was voted on Saturday afternoon from 4 to 9 p. m., and carried 230 to 80. The board of education hope to have the construction under way by the fore part of June. The proposed building to house a farm shop, is to be 30x83 feet and will cost approximately \$6000. Of this amount the taxpayers will be asked to contribute an amount of less than \$3000 for par of the materials used in the construction of the building. The balance as well as the labor costs will be provided by the Federal government. The actual construction will be done by the National Youth Administration with competent engineer and tradesman in charge. The building is to be furnished with modern machines, tools and materials for the teaching of the trades of carpentry, plumbing, metal work, electricity, auto mechanics, and farm mechanics. The equipment will cost approximately \$9000 and will cost the district nothing. Walnut is fortunate to be selected, as only ten of this type have been allotted for the state of Illinois, and only three for northern Illinois, in towns of less than 2,500 population.

Principal Cecil A. Snider and Mrs. Snider were hosts to the graduating class of 1941 of the Walnut Community high school on Friday evening at a reception at the Snider home when 26 seniors and the faculty and faculty wives were present. The forepart of the evening was spent in ice-breaker games and the rest of the evening in buncos with the prizes going to Mrs. C. M. Hatland, Shirley York, Floyd Meridian and Donald Renner.

A dainty lunch was served with the appointments being carried out in the senior colors of gold and white. Five junior girls served.

Marjorie Johnson, Mildred Hatland, Marilyn Bass, Marietta Hoffman, and Merna Kiser.

The Normandy 4-H club met on Saturday afternoon at the school and planned the program for the summer. It is to be a sewing club, with Mrs. Arthur Kueper as leader. Bernell Kueper is the president; Marilyn Peach, vice president; Margaret Kinnaman, secretary; and Marjorie Peach, reporter. Other club members are: Elaine Peach, Arletta Kueper, Evelyn Weller, Joyce Broer, Ale Marie Fisher, Mary Ohda. Dainty refreshments were served by Bernell Kueper and Marilyn Peach.

Mrs. John Abraham was hostess to the D. G. B. G. club on Friday afternoon, three tables playing. High score prize was won by Mrs. George Short. Mrs. M. E. Howland was a club guest. Delicious refreshments were served.

The Memorial Sunday service was held on Sunday morning at the Walnut Christian church with the sermon being given by Rev. James McCaw of Chicago. Rev. McCaw's subject concerned character building and was a very inspiring and impressive talk. He was engaged to speak as a candidate for the vacancy existing in the Christian church and had received another appointment prior to the Walnut date.

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Miss Doris Marsh will be a hostess at a summer camp at Forest Beach a part of the summer. Miss Marsh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Marsh, is completing her junior year at the Iowa State college at Ames, Iowa, where she is majoring in Home Ec. and Institutional Management.

Bob Avey, Lavere Watson, Gilbert Dohlen and Donald Dwyne are being sent to Boys' State by the following organizations: The American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Business Men's League and Kiwanis club. Boys' State will be in session June 28 to July 5.

Miss Ruth Niman, R. N., and Miss Phyllis Thiel, R. N., returned to Chicago Friday afternoon after spending the past week in the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Niman.

Dr. C. H. Hightower will deliver the commencement address at Manlius high school, Friday evening, May 30.

The senior Girl Scouts held a formal dance at the town hall Friday night with approximately 100 in attendance. Music was furnished by Bill Donler and his orchestra of Rockford and chapters for the evening were their leader, Miss Mary Wishard and escort Eddie Logan and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin. Girl Scout committee women present were the Mmes. L. G. Schaar, Walter Waddelow, C. J. Price and Luce Meeker.

The Mount Morris Business Men's League will sponsor a lamb show to be held in conjunction with the Future Farmers of the vocational agriculture department of the high school on Saturday, June 14. Approximately \$35 in prize money will be offered to the young exhibitors who will have entries in the single and pen classes.

To date approximately 26 lambs have been entered by the following boys: single lambs, Arthur Jacobs, Dwight Butterbaugh, Wayne Floto, Phillip Ballard, Donald Gonker, Bill Shaw, Donald Medlar, Charles Diehl, Oren Stengel, Donald Stengel, Lawrence Zumdahl and Lawrence Colson, while in the pen class are Donald Gonker, Donald Medlar, Charles Diehl, Lawrence Zumdahl, Laurence Colson and Oren and Donald Stengel.

The Fellowship Society of the church of the Brethren met last week and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Mrs. E. R. Henricks, president; Mrs. Orla Auman, vice president; Miss Dorothy Silvius, secretary; Mrs. Jerry Miller, treasurer; Mrs. Ivan Rothermel, chairman of committee on arrangements; Mrs. Faith Henderson, chaplain; Mrs. Leland Rittenhouse, chairman of philanthropic committee and Mrs. Mose Diehl, chairman of membership committee. Mrs. W. O. Beckner, Elgin, and formerly of Mount Morris, was a guest of the evening and gave a dramatized review of the book "China Speaking."

Mrs. Robert Allen, Miss Helen Louise Miller and Miss Thelma Mott entertained Thursday evening at the Ross farm in honor of Miss Beth Hower whose approaching marriage to Morris Amrsud of Rockford has been announced as an event of June 7. Guests present were the Misses Dorothy Savage, Virgil Turner, Jane Locke, Mary McCall, Edna Coulson, Rose Neely, Jane Wingard, Kathleen Peugh, Martha Murphy, Ruth Beery and the Mmes. Ross Stouffer, Frank Crowell, Harold Patterson, Cecil Williams, and John Thomas. Miss Hower was presented with a gift of silver. On Tuesday evening the band parents held a picnic supper at the Pines and Miss Hower, director of the school band was presented with a set of silver.

HARMON

Mrs. Fred Powers, Reporter
Phone 17-11

Mrs. Mary Carroll returned to her home in Stockton after several week's visit her with her son and family, the Andrew Carrolls. Jerry Zentz and son were Monday callers in West Brooklyn.

The following students attended the junior-senior prom at St. Mary's Catholic school in Sterling on Thursday evening: Misses Mary Keenan, Mary McKeel, Rita Rock, and Peter Blackburn, Lewis Blackburn, Harold Considine and John Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Keenan entertained the following guests Sunday at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. James Ducey and daughter, Mary and son, Donald of Philo, Ill.; Mrs. Con Doyle of Sandorus, Ill.; Mrs. Elizabeth Forum of Champaign; Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Regan and Anna Marie; William, Francis, Rose, Kathryn, Agnes and Fern Keenan of Rock Falls; William and Carlisle Kane of Rock Island, Mr. and Mrs. John Linihan of Amboy, Mr. and Mrs. John Keenan and son and Mary Keenan of Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Roman Malach, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lally, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Garland spent Sunday evening in Starved Rock and Ladd.

Mrs. Lloyd Considine and son Harold spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Addie Blackburn in Dixon.

Doris Fleischer is visiting her cousin, Wilma Schaefer. Mr. and Mrs. Pat Blackburn of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Grenan Jr. and Mrs. Matt Grenan, Sr. of Sterling were Tuesday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McCormick.

The commencement exercises for the schools of Harmon and vicinity, May 28:

Professional—Selected Musical reading, "Shortening Bread"—Chapel school Song, "I Won't Play Unless You Coax Me"—Merchant school Vocal selections, "Fireflies," and "Hiking" song—High school and grade chorus Vocal selections, "The Mountain Stream," "Roses Kissed by the Sunshine"—Harmon grammar room Address—L. W. Miller Presentation of Diplomas—Harmon school—Pres. Fred J. Whitmore.

Rural schools—Supt. John A. Torrens

Chorus—"I Hear America Singing"

Class roll—Lake school—Grace Lucille Brill John Thomas Sutton; Agnes Lally, teacher.

McCaffrey school—Francis Bernard Finn—Marie Malach, teacher.

Chapel school—Betty Elaine Dimmig, Lauren Foley; Josephine Miller, teacher.

Merchant school—Dora Mae Jacobs, Dorothy Elaine Schaefer, Evelyn Kranov, teacher.

Manion school—Lawrence Koster, Richard Long—Anastasia Hermes, teacher.

Carbaugh school—Grace Schulte; Elaine Kranov, teacher.

Harmon public school—Harriet Joyce Garland, Robert Foster Thrasher, Francis Edgar Schoff, Robert Vincent Garland, Warner Lee Smallwood; Anna K. Swab, teacher.

Harmon high school—Evelyn Jane Behrend, Irene Lillian Kihlstrom, James Edward McKeel, Bertha Anna Bell Schaefer, Raymond William Dimmig, Anna Lorraine Lehman, Anna Georgina Oakland, Mary Olive Thrasher.

Class motto—Service.

Class flower—Sweet pea.

Class color—Red, white and blue.

233,744 Relief Cases Dropped During Year

Chicago—(AP)—The Illinois Emergency Relief Commission reported that more than one-fourth of the 233,744 relief cases were dropped in the state during the 12 months ended April 30 because clients found private employment. The commission said that during the period 206,245 cases were opened and 145,557 cases were listed on record last month. Other cases were closed, the commission said, because clients went on WPA, became eligible for old-age assistance, reported new income, received inheritances or aid from relatives, or gained full-time instead of part-time work.

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Memorial Night

Mendota Rebekah lodge observed Memorial Night during a meeting at Odd Fellows hall Friday night. Mrs. Virgil Knox, Noble Grand, conducted the service for 23 deceased members of the lodge, assisted by Mrs. Earl Henkel, Miss Marion Sauer and Miss Ada Kilmartin. Miss Elizabeth Setchell and Mrs. August Willhelm served as candle bearers.

Refreshments were served by a committee with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Erbes as co-chairman.

Past Matrons' Club

Mrs. William Mortenson entertained members of the Past Matrons' club at her home Friday evening at a 7 o'clock dessert bridge party. Prizes in cards were won by Mrs. Elmer Beitsch, Mrs. O. D. Harrison and Mrs. Mark Shaffer.

F. L. A.

Twenty-five juvenile members of the Fidelity Life Association met at the home of their superintendent, Mrs. E. Ossman Saturday afternoon. Following the business meeting, the afternoon was spent playing games. Refreshments were served by the hostess. During the business meeting two delegates and three guests were chosen to attend the sixteenth annual juvenile convention to be held in the home office building in Fulton on Tuesday and 25. Those who will attend are: Jeraline Hoerbert, Gladys Harvey, Maxine Becker, Marion Smith, and Doris Littlewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leifheit and family of Wilmington, Delaware, visited Mendota relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Elsworth Hoberg visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanders Friday.

Students of Mendota Township high school who will graduate on June 5th are as follows: Clifton Bader, Mendota.

Beverly Bankes, Troy Grove.

Betty Bauer, Compton.

John Bauman, Mendota.

Doris Blair, Mendota.

Arthur Brown, Mendota.

Ruth E. Brown, Mendota.

Geraldine Coffey, Mendota.

Bernard Cross, Mendota.

Donald Cromwell, Mendota.

Nathan Cullinan, Mendota.

Robert Dancy, Mendota.

Dorothy Dial, Troy Grove.

Ruth Elberger, Mendota.

Marion Ellingen, Mendota.

Richard Fassig, Mendota.

Lois Felt, Mendota.

Kenneth Fitzgerald, Utica.

Mary C. Fitzgerald, Utica.

Lois Foote, Mendota.

Doris Foster, Troy Grove.

Harold Gehant, West Brooklyn.

Eleanor Gould, Triumph.

Clarice Grosch, LaMoille.

Theresa Guilfoyle, Mendota.

Glen Harjes, Mendota.

Paul Hochstetter, Mendota.

Henry Holliston, Mendota.

Betty Howe, Mendota.

Margaret Huss, Mendota.

Norma Johnson, Compton.

Lois Kleinfelter, Compton.

Kathryn Kramer, Mendota.

Robert Krenz, Mendota.

Dale Kromm, Mendota.

Evelyn Lamps, Mendota.

Thomas Lane, Mendota.

Robert Larkin, Earlville.

Ellen Larson, Mendota.

Lowell Lathrop, Mendota.

Earl LeFever, Mendota.

Marcella Lobbins, Mendota.

Elsie Lucas, Mendota.
Florence Lucas, Triumph.
Margaret Lucas, Mendota.
Herman Lucas, Mendota.
John Maller, Mendota.
Catherine Marcum, Mendota.
Doris B. Moore, Mendota.
Alan W. Munson, Utica.
Donnell McConville, Earlville.
Warren Neff, Mendota.
Charles Parsons, Mendota.
Henrietta Poltsch, Mendota.
Robert Preston, Mendota.
Harriet Quandahl, Mendota.
Robert Reck, Mendota.
Clara Roppin, Mendota.
Marion Richard, Mendota.
Virginia Rod, Earlville.
Delmore Scott, Mendota.
Frank Seno, Mendota.
Ruth Spenader, Mendota.
Wayne Spenader, Mendota.
Lyle Sutton, Mendota.
Gladys Teaseau, Mendota.
Christ Trupis, Mendota.
Jack Trout, Mendota.
Mary Ellen VanMeter, Mendota.

Honored at Shower

Miss Jeanne Gipson whose marriage to James Chasm will occur May 29, was honored at a linen shower Thursday night at the home of Miss Ila Barnhart with Miss Margaret Eaton co-hostess.

Transferred

Merlin Bacon and Edward Rippinger of Co. "E", Second Infantry, who have been stationed at Ft. Custer, Mich. left this week with their company for army maneuvers at Camp Forrest, Tennessee. Edward has been promoted to the rank of corporal and Merlin is private first class in recognition of his marksmanship, being second in rifle range practice, and he has received his sharpshooter's badge. The boys were home on a short furlough before leaving for the southern camp.

To Attend Commencement

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cottlow left Sunday for Columbia, Mo. to attend commencement exercises of the senior high school class at Stephens academy, their daughter, Sally Berk, being a member of the class. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Berg left Saturday to be present at the exercises, their daughter Cary also being a member of the class.

P. N. G. Meeting

Mrs. Lester N. Myers will be hostess to the Past Noble Grands club Tuesday afternoon.

To Wisconsin

D. L. Schultz who has served as engineer of soil conservation service at Oregon CCC camp, is being transferred to Menominee, Wis. and will serve as engineer of the district conservation service. The family expects to move June 1.

On Western Trip

Miss Madeline Weyrauch will leave Tuesday in company of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of Rock Falls to visit the Smiths' son Raymond, who is in military service and stationed at Fort Fran-

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European News Still Flows Despite War's Disruption; Centers Change

By JOHN EVANS
New York. (The Special News Service)—Cables are cut, wireless stations are stilled and censors multiply like rabbits but the news still comes from Europe in a steady flow.

Only London has regular cable service. Wireless is the main link because it leaps over all barriers. There are temporary black-outs of communications but during them the essential facts come from the edge of the benighted area.

War's censoring methods suddenly destroyed the well-organized telephone gathering of European news and its centralization in London for coordination and quick transmission to the Associated Press cable desk in New York. Instead, most of the capitals of the old world began filing dispatches directly to New York.

Since September 1, 1939, there have been many changes, many experiments to discover quick routes to send news. Amsterdam, Bern and Budapest became news centers but the German tide swept over Amsterdam and almost isolated Budapest.

Relay Point
Bern, inland island of neutrality, remains as a news relay point and the listening post that it was in the last war.

London dispatches come almost by cable, directly into the New York office on a leased channel without a relay in the cable office at this end. Before the war this line was operated in the AP London office so there was the world's first transoceanic office-to-office cable. Transmission, then, was in seconds; now the censor makes the average about twenty minutes.

Berlin sends much news direct to New York by wireless but many dispatches and especially comment and interpretation are telephoned to neutral Bern where the

Swiss wireless relays them to New York.

There is no censorship of this news as in London but mail is censored. Except for the first few days of the war none of the background and feature material has been stopped or deleted.

Rome sends some news by wireless to New York but the major part is telephoned to Bern for relay.

German Censorship
In Germany correspondents are under a censorship of responsibility. That means that one may send news freely but the penalty for giving out military information or sending anything considered too critical or hostile may be expulsion. Italy has a similar system but imposes more restrictions.

Until January, Budapest was news headquarters for the Balkans and southeastern Europe. Istanbul, Sofia, Bucharest, Belgrade and Athens telephoned there and the AP bureau used the uncensored Hungarian wireless to New York. As the Germans advanced into the Balkans, official and unofficial censorship caused the AP to change the relay point from Budapest to Bern. That worked for three months but as Hitler marched into Yugoslavia, the old Balkan telephonic news system vanished.

News still comes from the Balkans but there is less of it and it is slower on the way since Germany took over real control of Rumania, Bulgaria, Yugoslavia and Greece.

African news comes through the controlling capitals, London, Rome and Vichy which get it by wireless. Vichy has a wireless that transmits to New York but it doesn't work all the time and some French news goes through Bern.

Moscow has a strict censorship and when the censor goes to bed no news is allowed out except what is sent by Tass, the official agency.

Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Hersch at Lanark today.

Personals

Mrs. Mary Joworski, daughter of Mrs. Genevieve Chizan and son William Joworski of Cicero went week-end guests of friends coming to attend the reception for Miss Ruby Nash Friday night at Oregon high school.

Mrs. Norval Tilton and son of Rochelle were visitors the past week of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ripplinger.

Mrs. J. J. Farrell of Los Angeles, Calif. arrived Saturday for an extended visit with Oregon friends. She is stopping at the home of Mrs. S. O. Garard.

Mrs. L. W. Greenwood and Mrs. Marshall Field of Chicago, the former Mamie and Clara Colson of Oregon, attended the reception at the high school Friday night, also Mrs. Garner Reed of Chicago, the former Alta Campbell.

Mrs. Cecil Sauer Kunold of Glendale, Calif. was a former pupil attending from the longest distance.

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